

## Russia Promises Poland, Wilson Opposed to Loan

In Exchange for Loyalty Poland is Offered  
Autonomy and Freedom in Religion and  
Language—Wilson Objects to Proposed  
Loans to Belligerent Countries.

### GERMAN CHANCELLOR UNMASKS INTENTIONS OF THE ENGLISH

Declares British Have Waited for Opportunity to Destroy Commercially Prosperous Germany—Gen. Von Emmich  
Suicides at Liege.

### 400,000 AUSTRIANS FINALLY SUCCEED IN FORCING ENTRANCE INTO SERBIA

Great Army at Last Crushes the Serb  
Defense After Fierce Bombardment and  
Fighting.—Russians Devastate Eastern  
Prussia.

### AT THE FRONT

By Associated Press.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 15.—The Russian government promises Poland freedom in the matter of religion and language and autonomy if the Poles are loyal in the present struggle with Germany and Austria-Hungary.

Paris, Aug. 15.—An official announcement today says the Belgian major in command of the forts at Liege contradicts the rumors that they had surrendered. The battle is declared to be still going on.

London, Aug. 15.—A dispatch from Namur, Belgium, to the Times says a German aeroplane flew over that city last night and dropped bombs. Five men were wounded, one of them being mangled, by the explosion of the missiles.

Paris, Aug. 15.—The Brussels correspondent of the Haves Agency telegraphed that a company of Belgian infantry ambushed two companies of German cyclists near Vessenach yesterday. The Germans fled leaving fifty dead.

London, Aug. 15.—The British official press bureau in its communication today says: "The German offensive is for the moment arrested in upper Alsace and there are indications that the French have made progress on that side."

By Associated Press.

London, Aug. 15.—A wireless dispatch from Berlin dated Friday gives

an interview with Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, German Imperial Chancellor, who, representing the war as a life and death struggle between Germans and French, arising out of the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand and wife, declared England avails herself of the opportunity, long waited, to begin war for the destruction of commercially prosperous Germany.

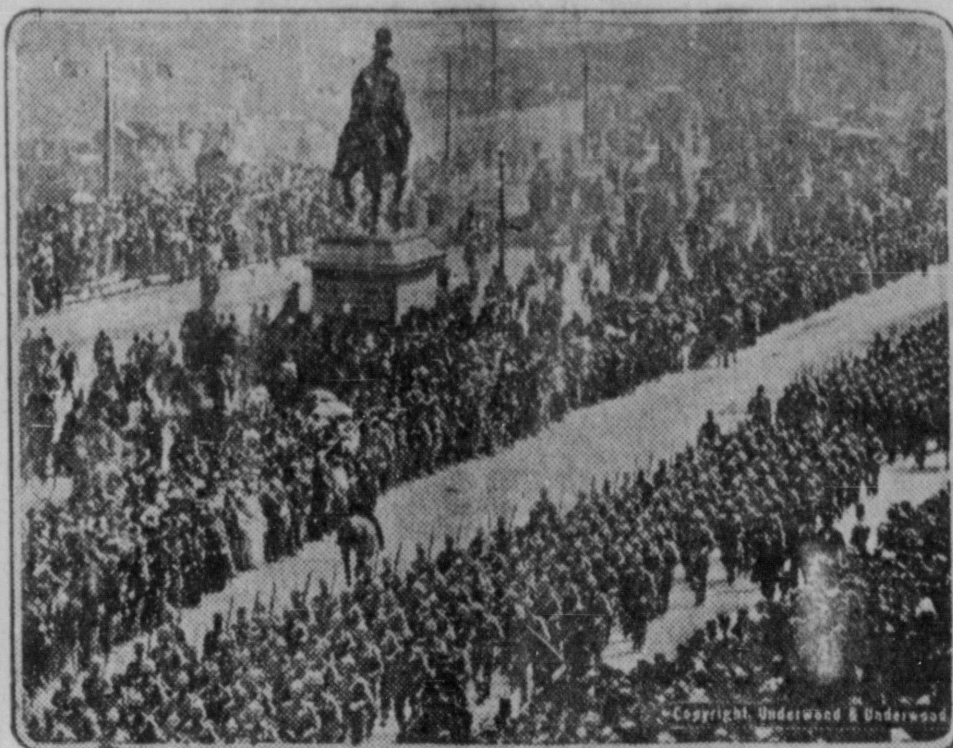
Washington, August 15.—President Wilson today formally disapproved of the plan of American bankers floating loans in the United States for the benefit of belligerent countries of Europe, but expressed no objections to loans made to neutral countries.

London, August 15.—A dispatch from Nish, Serbia, says that after an incessant bombardment along the entire frontier line of the rivers, Save and Danube, the Austrians have succeeded in forcing an entry into Sabac on the Save, 37 miles west of Belgrade—and into Losmitza on the river Drina. Four hundred thousand Austrians attacked the Servians, according to official dispatches, and after fierce fighting were repulsed, but finally succeeded in crossing the Save.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 15.—The Russian general staff today announced that Russian troops have destroyed local railroad and telegraph lines in the province of East Prussia at 11 points between Schmalleningken on the Russian frontier and Pilsit. German troops also have damaged some of the frontier roads.

other government officials. The conference was unanimously of the opinion that the pressing questions to be solved were: Restoration of the market for foreign exchange bills; immediate provision for means of transporting American grain, cotton and other merchandise abroad and war risk insurance.

### WAR EXCITEMENT IN AUSTRIAN CAPITAL



On Wednesday the Twelfth German Uhlans and the Ninth German Rifle regiment, accompanied by artillery, were discovered on the frontier in the neighborhood of Kalisz by the Russian troops. The Germans avoided coming into contact, retiring to the northwest.

New York, August 15.—The Hamburg-American line issued a statement this afternoon saying it had under consideration offers to purchase some of its steamships in American waters, valued at \$20,000,000. The proposal embraces the great steamer, Vaterland, largest in the world. If sold the vessels would fly the American flag and would be the first acquisition to the proposed American merchant marine.

### WILSON BOLDLY ASKS NEUTRALITY

By Associated Press.

Washington, August 15.—A general effort is being made by the United States to have the powers of Europe observe the neutrality of all passenger vessels, whether belonging to belligerent countries or not, which are engaged in the transportation of home coming Americans.

### ARREST DENIED

By Associated Press.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Archer M. Huntington, of New York, president of the American Geographical Society, and his family were not arrested but have been enjoying the fullest liberty at Nuremberg, Germany, according to a message to the State Department today from the German foreign office.

## OHIO IS SLATED

Food Price Probe by Federal Government is Urged by U. S. District Attorney Denman—Asks For Special Agents—Will Co-operate With Prosecutors.

By Associated Press.

Toledo, August 15.—United States District Attorney Hugh G. Denman notified the Department of Justice at Washington today that as a result of superficial investigation of high prices in Ohio cities, a thorough federal probe is warranted. He asked the government to send special agents to the district and announced that he will co-operate with county prosecuting attorneys.

Washington, August 15.—Reports to the Department of Justice today show that the investigation into food prices is progressing in every state and at every large city. The United States Attorney at San Francisco telegraphed that the investigation already had presented an increase in shipping rates to foreign ports on canned goods. From Kansas City came a report that there was no beet sugar on the market. The Department of Justice is gathering comparisons of food prices on July 1, 1913, and July 1, 1914, the prices before the first declaration of war in Europe, and the present prices in this country.

### OFFICERS AND MEN OF THE RUSSIAN ARTILLERY



## NINE STEAMERS MAKING RUSH ACROSS OCEAN

By Associated Press.

New York, August 15.—Nine steamships sailed from New York today for ports in Europe carrying passengers and mails as a result of the official notice from British Admiralty that the Atlantic Ocean steamship lanes are clear of German cruisers. The French liner, Rochambeau, will sail today with 250 cabin and 1,200 third class passengers, many of whom are French reservists paying their own way.

## TOURISTS LEAVING GERMANY

State Department Advised by Cable That German Government is Now Permitting Americans to Leave the Country—4500 Sail From England Today.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Americans may now leave Germany as rapidly as train service is restored, Ambassador Gerrard, at Berlin, reported to the State Department by way of Copenhagen today, by cable.

Ambassador Gerrard's cable was brief, giving details and confined to the announcement that Americans might leave as fast as train service was restored. Officials assumed that it signaled the completion of the mobilization of the German army.

Germany will permit the cruiser, Tennessee, bearing gold for Americans, to enter Bremen and will provide trains to bring Americans from the baths and resorts in the south to that port. This government was so advised today.

London, August 15.—Seven hundred Americans from Berlin have arrived in Rotterdam according to a report received here.

Liverpool, Aug. 15.—The sailing from this port today of the St. Louis, the Campania and the Minnewaska, for New York and the Megantic for Montreal reduced the number of Americans who had been stranded in England by 4,500. The American Line steamer St. Paul, from New York, arrived here yesterday.

### MINERS STRIKE

By Associated Press.

Charleston, W. Va., August 15.—Twelve hundred miners at Bloomer, in the Paint creek district, struck today because one of their number had

## ANCON OPENS CANAL

By Associated Press.

Panama, Aug. 15.—The United States War Department steamship Ancon, passed through the Gatun locks without a hitch today in 70 minutes. The total lift at these locks is 85 feet.

Panama, August 15.—The United States War Department steamship, Ancon, today made a passage through the Panama canal and transit through the water way is now officially open to the traffic of the world.

The Ancon left her berth at Cristobal at 7 o'clock this morning and made her way to the end of the deep water channel from the Atlantic to the Gatun locks. She went through these locks, which have a list of 85 feet, in 70 minutes. She continued through the waterway from deep water on the Atlantic to deep water on the Pacific side without incident.

She is due at the Pacific side at 6 o'clock this evening. Leaving Cristobal the Ancon passed several vessels at anchor in the harbor waiting to follow her and thus make the first commercial use of the waterway.

been discharged. Fred Littleton and R. L. Sprouse, said to be non-union miners, were assaulted at the mine of the Columbia Iron and Steel company late yesterday, the 150 miners at that point having struck. The men were taken to a hospital.

## WAR CRAMPS THE VATICAN

By Associated Press.

Rome, August 15.—The effect of the war is felt on the finances of the Vatican, the resources of which are deposited in the banks of Italy and abroad, whence it is difficult to withdraw them. Furthermore remittances are few, the payment of Peter's Pence being almost suspended.

### NEW JAIL WANTED

The village of Bainbridge is planning to build a new jail and mayor's office, providing the necessary funds may be obtained. The village has an old jail which is in very bad condition, and several of the citizens were in this city conferring with Prosecuting Attorney Boulger regarding the procedure in getting the funds.—Chillicothe Gazette.

## BANDITS KILL TWO PURSUERS

By Associated Press.

Williamson, W. Va., August 15.—Edward Mounts and Sanford Hatfield, members of a posse chasing the bandits who yesterday robbed a paymaster and killed three men at Alum Cliff, W. Va., were killed today in a fight with the robbers at Gilbert Creek. One of the band was wounded.

The posse, of which Mounts and Hatfield were members, had followed the gang through the mountains all night and came up with them this morning. The bandits opened fire with deadly effect and the posse replied. One bandit was wounded but his comrades assisted him to escape. Large forces have been searching the mountains for the gang since the robbery at Glen Alum.

## AMERICAN INTERESTS JEOPARDIZED BY WAR

By Associated Press.

Washington, August 15.—Active steps to relieve conditions due to the European war affecting the commerce and credit of the United States were being taken today as a result of proposals made at a conference here between prominent business men, President Wilson, Secretary McAdoo and



# GERMANS MENACE THE ALLIED ARMY

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Kaiser Hopes to Smash Foes By Mere Force of Numbers.

NAMUR STRENGTHENS DEFENSE

All inhabitants Disarmed to Save Them From German Reprisals in the Event of the Capture of the City—French Army in Alsace Menacing Strassburg, the Chief Fortified City of the Lost Province—Conflicts Along the Frontier.

Brussels, Aug. 15.—Undismayed by repulses administered to its outposts by Belgian commands, the huge German army of the Meuse is swinging forward in a solid battle front extending from north of Hasselt south to St. Trond. A great battle is inevitable when this German host comes in contact with the allied army.

Great masses of German troops are being pushed forward from Aix-La-Chapelle and Liege in the Kaiser's culminating effort to crush the allies by mere force of overwhelming numbers.

Diest, where the Belgians repulsed the German cavalry on Wednesday, Herscht and Tongres lie in the path of the German forces and must inevitably become again the scenes of desperate encounters, for the Belgian aeroplanes have watched the massing and the forward movements and the allies are blocking the advance. Within twenty-four hours the battle is expected along the whole German advance.

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## SCENE OF BATTLE

French-German Border, Where a Great Battle is in Progress.



## GERMANS ADVANCE

London, Aug. 15.—The advance movement of the German army against the lines of the allies in Belgium and Luxembourg is proceeding slowly, but steadily, despite numerous unimportant repulses in encounters between the advance guards.

The checks administered to the German scouting detachments at Echzeze, Haslen, Noville-Taviers, Diest, Tongres and other Belgian towns are not regarded by military experts here as of great account except in their possible moral effect upon the defenders. It seems certain that the German battle line is closing in all the way from north of Liege to the Swiss border, and that the beginning of a general engagement that may last for weeks can not be long deferred.

The Germans appear to be holding to their reported original plans to hammer a way into France through the duchy of Luxembourg and southeastern Belgium, and then through the gap in the line of French fortresses, between Verdun and Mezières. French troops are said to have been massed at this point and this territory is expected to bear the brunt of the fighting.

An announcement by the French war office admits that a French army has entered Belgium and has left Charleroi on the way to Gembloux, near Namur. The Belgian fortress of Namur will come within the scope of the German forward movement, and its defenses are being strengthened in order to prolong its resistance as long as possible. The presence of French troops in Belgium has been reported before, but this is the first official announcement of the fact.

## REBELS ENTER MEXICO CITY

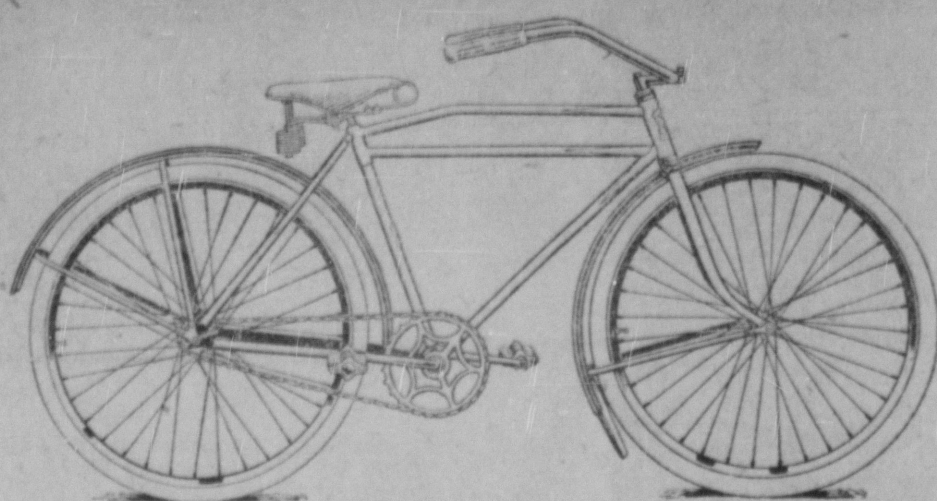
Mexico City, Aug. 15.—General Carranza, first chief of the Constitutionallists, will enter Mexico City Sunday evening. Then the Constitutionallists will regain the power they lost when the Diaz revolt broke out on Feb. 8, 1913. More than 1,000 Carranzaists entered the city last evening to guard the legations and prepare for the entry of the first chief. Many Americans are flying American flags over their houses and in doing so have received the approval of General Iturbide.

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## 50 BLUEJACKETS IN NICARAGUA

Washington, Aug. 15.—The landing of fifty American bluejackets at Bluefields, Nicaragua, was reported to the navy department by Commander N. C. Twining of the gunboat Tacoma. Commander Twining reported that he had taken this action at the request of the United States consul at Bluefields and with the consent of the Nicaraguan government. The consul's request was due to fears that there might be disturbances in Bluefields growing out of the political situation.

## CRUISERS BOUGHT

Paris, Aug. 15.—The German cruisers Goeben and Breslau are at Nagara Keles, the quarantine station in the Dardanelles. It is reported that they searched British, French and Greek ships in the strait and forcibly removed the wireless apparatus from the steamer Saghalien, threatening to sink her if she made resistance. A report received here says Turkey has just paid \$20,000,000 for the two cruisers.

## SHIP REGISTRY BILL WILL PASS

Washington, Aug. 15.—The senate agreed to vote on the caucus report on the ship registry bill next Monday. There is no doubt of the adoption of the report.

## HELD AS SPY

London, Aug. 15.—Lazard Kann, a manufacturer of Hamilton, O., arrived here from the continent. At Frankfurt he was arrested as a spy and detained several hours, until he satisfied his captors of his American citizenship.

## WRECK AEROPLANE

St. Petersburg, Aug. 15.—It is reported here that a large German aeroplane making observations of Russian troops at Suwalki, Poland, was brought to earth, and that the four officers aboard her were killed.

## Consoling.

Noticing that his lady cashier was weeping copiously and sucking her finger, the proprietor asked her what was the matter.

Sobbingly she told him she had p-p-p-inched her f-f-finger in the cash register.

"Never mind, little girl," he said. "A great many more cashiers got pinched before there were any cash registers."—Indianapolis Star.

## EXCURSIONS.

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## BEAUTY OF THE HUDSON.

Its Picturesque Scenery Far Surpasses That of the Rhine.

The Hudson river is very remarkable in several respects. In the first place, for 150 miles of its length it is not a true river but a fiord. From Albany to the ocean its rock bottom, with the exception of a few islands, is below sea level. How far below, it is not accurately known. Opposite Storm King mountain engineers bored a thousand feet down into the dirt and sand that fill the gorge under the water and did not find rock bottom. The shore line at Albany is at practically the same elevation as the shore line at New York, and the tide rises at Albany two and eight-tenths feet. The upward and downward flowing of the tide, of which Hudson took advantage in his voyage, had long been noticed by the Indians, who spoke of the river with wonder as the stream that flowed both ways.

The river is unsurpassed for its great natural beauty. The distinguished German surgeon, Dr. Adolph Lorenz, in 1902 declared it more beautiful than the Rhine, which depends on the castles on its banks for its main charm. Primarily, the beauty of the Hudson is due to the extraordinary range of its geological history. From its source to the sea it is an epitome of creation. It rises in the Adirondack mountains, which tower to a great height. The famous Highlands of the Hudson, between which Hudson sailed 300 years ago, are of the same Archæan rocks and were once a group of islands. The Catskills are more modern and the Palisades still younger. The latter rising sheer 300 to 500 feet above the water's edge, were once a fiery molten mass and their columnar shape is due to the manner in which the mass cooled off.

These facts indicate what a storehouse for fascinating research the Hudson valley is for the person, young or old, who will study it with the mind as well as with the eye.—Edith Townsend Kaufmann in Leslie's.

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## War Correspondents Are Curbed

The censured news of the European war curbs the war correspondent to a degree that is galling both to press associations and to the public.

Not since the invention of the telegraph and cable has there been such rigorous military censorship. Admitting that its restriction is necessary for the suppression of military secrets, which might give aid to the enemy, it puts the press associations at a great disadvantage and gives scant satisfaction to the world at large hungering for news.

No one questions that the correspondents, especially those connected with the foremost press associations, and bringing to bear every trained faculty and effort in the attempt to send out accurate news, and the whole news.

The sensational correspondent, who is careless in regard to truthful statements, is no longer tolerated by recognized papers or news agencies, and the one who makes good is he who most successfully gains access to the real facts and reports the situation as it actually is. The dependable correspondent, with the faculty of "getting on the inside", has an immense advantage over the one who attempts to attract by startling statements, greatly exaggerated and subject to denial.

The press associations have correspondents at every European capital, in defatigable workers day and night, but these correspondents find little opportunity for the brilliant coup which has given many in the past the boost to success.

No matter how much information the correspondent gains there is poor show for eluding the censor, since all dispatches must be handled by cable and all cablegrams from Europe must pass British censorship.

The cutting of the German cable prevents official statements except from the British authority, and there is a feeling that it would be impossible to gain information that was not, to at least a slight degree, one-sided.

As long as present conditions exist the reader will have to be content with the censored news and, unsatisfactory as it may be considered, it yet means an extremely difficult and expensive undertaking on the part of press associations and their correspondents.

It is safe to acknowledge that no information will be put out by the Associated Press, admitted to be the most reliable news service of the world, that is not founded upon fact and that has not been verified as far as is possible before publication.

Naturally people are excited and eager for news and disappointed when only bare official statements are published, but it would only make conditions worse to give out false statements.

The successful war correspondent does not hesitate because his task is dangerous, and there is small doubt but that when the strict censorship is removed there will be brilliant accounts, giving to a hungry public correct insight into the terrible war which has changed peaceful Europe into a tumultuous battlefield, seemingly impossible in this day of advanced civilization and Christianity.

## Poetry For Today

### OUR COUNTY FAIR.

Sylvester Smythe, a city kid,  
Boards at our farm this year,  
And I am sure 'twould make you grin  
If you could only hear  
Him brag about the city sights,  
The Hippodrome and zoo;  
But when he pile sit on too thick  
I do some bragging, too.

I asked him if his hippodrome  
Or zoo has ever shown  
A pair of well-matched Devon steers  
That draw two tons of stone;  
And when he says it can't be done,  
I cross my heart and swear  
Sile Jones' steers do just that stunt  
Out at our county fair.

I ask him if the museums  
He praises up skyhigh,  
Show pumpkins big as wagon wheels,  
And every kind of pie;  
Or patchwork quilts made by hand,  
Of tiny blocks cut square;  
We've shown these things for twenty years  
Out at our county fair.

I s'pose he has seen lots of things,  
But so have I, 'gosh!  
And country pumpkins' just as good  
As any city squash.  
He never praises anything  
Out here—except the air;  
But you just watch! he'll change his tune  
Out at our county fair.  
—Floy Shoonmaker Armstrong in  
National Magazine.

## Weather Report

Washington, August 15.—Ohio, Illinois, lower Michigan, Indiana and West Virginia—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday.

Tennessee—Partly cloudy Saturday; local showers at night on Sunday.

Kentucky—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday.

### WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 7 p. m. Friday:

	Temp.	Weather.
Boston	70	Clear
New York	75	Clear
Washington	78	Clear
Buffalo	70	Clear
Columbus	77	Cloudy
Chicago	72	Clear
St. Louis	78	Cloudy
St. Paul	72	Clear
Los Angeles	74	Clear
New Orleans	84	Cloudy
Tampa	82	Clear
Seattle	72	Clear

### Weather Forecast.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Indications for tomorrow:  
Ohio—Generally fair.

### SOLONS AND SALARIES.

Some European States Pay Their Lawmakers Only a Mite.

Italy and Spain are the only European countries which offer no monetary reward to their members of parliament. The Portuguese legislators are not remunerated by the state, but they have a free pass for traveling on all railways in the country, and their constituencies are permitted to pay a sum equivalent to 15 shillings for each day's sitting.

Denmark is another country which believes that its political gentlemen are ready to work for almost nothing. Members of parliament there only receive 6 shillings per day, but they have the peculiar privilege of a free seat in the Royal theater in Copenhagen.

The Norwegian honorable member is thankful for a daily income of 12 shillings, though he must do his duty properly to get it. He loses a day's pay when he takes a day off. Members of the Swiss diet work under the same threat. If they are absent they lose salary which amounts in their case to 16 shillings per day.

Roumania pays her lawmakers a sovereign per day, and Bulgaria offers 16 shillings. In the latter country members living in the capital have 4 shillings deducted because they have no train fares to pay and only one home to keep up.

Hungary treats her statesmen just half as well as England does, allowing them £200 per annum. They have, however, a liberal allowance for house rent and can travel first class with second class tickets.—London Tit-Bits.

### Buying Stocks.

WHILE—There are two ways of buying stocks. One is to buy outright. Gillis—Yes; the other is to buy in wrong. Puck

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## ATE AND WAS SAD

Yet It Was a Dish For Which He Had Yearned For Years.

### A TRAGEDY IN GASTRONOMY.

Bouillabaisse as Sung by Thackeray and as Served in a Famous Marseilles Resort Proved Very Different Propositions to an English Epicure.

We all know that famous poem of Thackeray's which begins,  
A street there is in Paris famous  
For which no time our language yields,  
and goes on to tell of the tavern where the genial Titmarsh in the days when he was a Paris correspondent "ate and drank the bouillabaisse."

As a result of that delightful poem tens of thousands of Englishmen have yearned to eat bouillabaisse. Thackeray puts it so beautifully: The steaming dish of stewed fish that he conjures up in his lines—how appetizing it seems! I know that it was quite early in my teens when I first read that poem, and from that moment there was formed in my mind a firm resolve to eat some day of bouillabaisse.

My opportunity came not long ago when I visited Marseilles. It was nearly half past 9 when I sat down in the dining room of the hotel.

"There is no bouillabaisse on the menu," I said severely to the maitre d'hotel. "I have come to Marseilles specially to eat it." He replied that it was not a specialty of the house, but that it could always be prepared. How long would it take? Twenty-five minutes, perhaps a little longer. "But I think monsieur would find it rather heavy at such a late hour."

He was not encouraging, this maitre d'hotel. I did not accept for a moment his suggestion that bouillabaisse was too heavy a dish for half past 9 at night. Thackeray had not talked about heaviness. But twenty-five minutes! I ordered an omelet.  
At midnight, walking down the famous Cannebiere, back to the hotel, I was hailed by a familiar voice. It was that of a friend whom I had not seen for a long time. Gratefully I grasped his hand and told him that I intended to eat bouillabaisse as soon as possible. And my respect for him was considerably enhanced when he told me that he had eaten some that very afternoon, an hour after his arrival in Marseilles. Here was the true spirit, and I related to him, with some bitterness, my experience with the maitre d'hotel. "Well, it is rather heavy stuff," he said. But I brushed this aside, and we arranged to meet at lunch on the morrow, when I should have the best that Marseilles could give me.

There are, as everybody knows, two places at Marseilles for bouillabaisse—Pascal's and Basso's, on the Vieux Port. We decided on Basso's.  
"Bouillabaisse," I said laconically. I paid no attention to what my friend ordered. No other dish interested me. But in a minute or so a curious looking mess was set down before him.  
"What's that stuff you're going to eat?" I asked.  
"That's bouillabaisse," he said, "but it's not mine."  
I started. This bouillabaisse, this curious looking stuff, with indigestible looking lumps of fish floating in a bilious and oily saffron liquid! I know

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not what I had expected bouillabaisse to be, but it certainly was not this. There was a piece of fish which I recognized as eel, and I loathe eels. The broad tail of another and unknown fish stuck up out of the opaque liquid. But it was the yellow liquid itself which repelled. It shouted biliousness and the smell of saffron that arose with the steam made me feel ill. Oh, Thackeray!

I pecked at the eel—or it may have been a lamprey—explored the various other fish, tasted gingerly of the thick saffron liquid on one of the pieces of toast that floated in it. But mine was no palate for bouillabaisse. I made the waiter take the mess away and bring lamb cutlets.

But I had tasted of bouillabaisse and was not to forget it. All day long the terrible taste of saffron remained with me. Nothing would shift it; not Marseilles tea, nor many golden becks, nor dinner. In fact, the bouillabaisse of lunch spoiled the dinner. And at midnight, in a cafe on the Cannebiere, my friend confided a secret to me. "When we fell in with each other just twenty-four hours ago," he said, "I was suffering just as you are now. The horrible taste of saffron had remained obstinately with me ever since lunch and has not quite gone even yet. But you told me you had come to Marseilles to eat bouillabaisse, and I knew nothing I could say would dissuade you. But no doubt the bitterness of this moment will fade away, and as time passes you will tell your friends in England how excellent is the real bouillabaisse if only you have it in Marseilles."  
"Never! I would die first!" I exclaimed firmly.—London Standard.

### Africa's Pygmy Antelope.

The pygmy antelope of the Gold Coast of Africa is the smallest of cud chewing animals. It stands about ten inches high at the withers—that is, about as high as a fox terrier. The male has minute horns that run straight back in the line of the forehead. The pygmy antelope was described in 1705 by the Dutch traveler Bosman, who, in his "Description of Guinea," says that it is called the "king of the harts" by the natives. By English writers it is often called the "royal antelope."

Do one thing at a time and the big things first.—Lincoln.

### Levels of Atlantic and Pacific.

At certain stages of the tide the levels of the Atlantic and Pacific oceans at the isthmus of Panama differ materially. At low tide the difference between high and low water is not much more than twenty-three inches, while at Panama it is generally thirteen feet and at times as much as nineteen feet. The current that would be produced by this condition of things in a sea level canal would seriously interfere with navigation, but under the present arrangement of a locked canal the difficulty is obviated. The Suez canal presented no such difficulty, the difference in tide level at Port Said and Suez being of a trifling nature.—New York American.

### An Old Acquaintance.

A resourceful girl, having danced a pink party frock to ribbons, took what was left of it and made a wonderful lamp shade. The next evening she was entertaining a caller in the soft light and she said to him quite casually: "How do you like my new lamp shade?"

William regarded it for a moment critically, then he said: "The last time I saw that shade I danced with it."—New York Post.

## OLD MEMBERS

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## Pensions to Dependent Mothers Should Not Be Scrimped and Uncertain

By WILLIAM H. MATTHEWS of New York Association For Poor

COUNTRY wide agitation and the passage of laws by many states have shown the prevalent public interest in mothers' pensions. No one questions the great desirability of providing funds adequate to keep dependent mothers and children together who would otherwise be separated solely by poverty. Instead of placing children in institutions and finding a job for the mother every one now agrees that it is MUCH WISER TO PAY THE COST OF THE FAMILY SUPPORT so that a good mother may bring up her children.

THE QUESTION WHICH THE PUBLIC HAS TO DECIDE IS WHETHER SUCH MOTHERS SHALL BE PENSIONED THROUGH PRIVATE RELIEF ORGANIZATIONS OR BY THE STATE OR CITY OR COUNTY. IN ANY EVENT, THE PROCESS SHOULD BE ONE OF FINDING OUT CAREFULLY HOW MUCH IS NEEDED FOR PROPER SHELTER, FOOD AND CLOTHING, AND THEN OF SEEING TO IT THAT THIS AMOUNT IS PROVIDED. ANY HAPHAZARD RAISING OF MONEY AND TRYING TO MAKE THE AMOUNT SECURED GO ROUND MEANS USUALLY HEART BREAKING FAMILY STRUGGLES TO GET ALONG ON LESS THAN A DECENT STANDARD OF LIVING. IF PENSIONS ARE TO BE GIVEN TO DEPENDENT MOTHERS WITH CHILDREN THEY SHOULD NOT BE SCRIMPED AND UNCERTAIN, BUT ADEQUATE AND REGULAR.



# ARMLESS DRIVER ADDING NEW LAURELS TO HIS LIST

Colby Turner, Often Referred to as "the Handless Handy Man," of New Burlington, Will be Among the Drivers at the Fair Next Week—Is Copping Many Ribbons This Season.

Colby Turner, armless but handier than many men more perfectly endowed, will be one of the drivers during the Fayette county fair next week and it goes without saying, one of its chief attractions. Turner is a young man about 30 years of age and despite the fact that both of his arms were severed just above the elbows in his youth he can eat, drive, play cards and do most anything that an ordinary man can do; in many cases with greater efficiency, because of the effort he has taken to train himself. He is coming to be recog-

nized as one of the best drivers in Ohio.

Turner is a "hale fellow, well met", and does not miss his extremities in the least. When driving he wraps the lines around his "stubs", holding them close against his breast, and has as sure a control over his animal as any driver with hands and lower arms.

While here Turner will drive his fast pacer, Denver Downs, in the 2:16 pace. Denver Downs came in a close second to Jesse J., the swift little mare belonging to W. J. Galvin, recently owned by George Weaver, who made such a showing in Xenia. Denver Downs made a figure of 2:14 in the matinees at Xenia a few weeks ago. Turner drove Minnie Burns to a second in the 2:14 pace at Leesburg this week and it is probable he will drive her again here.

## SMALL DECREASE IN 'SKEETER' FAMILY

During the past three or four days the mosquito pest in the city has decreased somewhat, but countless numbers still remain to torture the human family.

Meanwhile the Board of Health is spreading oil on the troublesome waters of Paint creek, and citizens in general are untiring in the crusade to wipe the pest out of existence in the city.

The following article, from a bulleting issued by the College of Agriculture, sounds the keynote in the work of eradicating the insects:

"Since it is supposed that the common house mosquito does not travel far, much can be done to prevent the annoyance of these pests by doing away with their breeding places. Screening will exclude mosquitoes but the better practice is to avoid their development by looking after the drainage of small pools, and the disposition of tin cans or other articles that may retain sufficient water for them to breed in. If rain barrels, water tanks, cisterns and other reservoirs are necessary, these should be screened or covered in such a manner as to prevent the entrance of mosquitoes as these insects develop only in water. Pools or small bodies of water which cannot be otherwise controlled and which are too small for the keeping of fishes may be treated with a film of kerosene to prevent any mosquito breeding."

## PREPARING FOR REGIMENTAL CAMP

Active preparations for the annual camp of the Fourth regiment, Ohio infantry, are going forward, and one week from Monday the men will mobilize in this city, all of the companies arriving here not later than shortly after nine o'clock.

Special trains will be run on some of the roads so that there may be no delay in arrival of troops, and so regular passenger traffic will not be interfered with.

The regiment will be accompanied by the regimental band, which is an exceptionally good one.

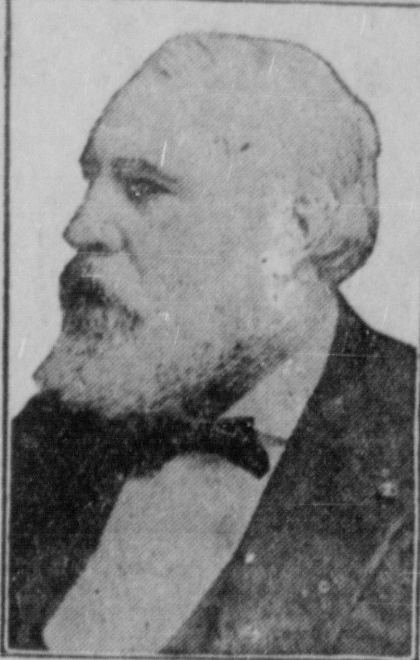
Following are the towns furnishing troops to take part in the camp: Washington C. H., Chillicothe, Greenfield, Circleville, Lancaster, Newark, Marion, Marysville, Delaware and Columbus.

The men will receive camp pay during the week they are out.

## KEIFER IN GERMANY ON PEACE MISSION

Much uneasiness has resulted among the friends of Gen. J. Warren Keifer, of Springfield, over the safety of Mr. Keifer, who went to Germany first of the month to attend a peace conference at The Hague, having been elected delegate to the conference.

So far no word has been received from the old warrior and ex-congressman, and Secretary Bryan has been asked to locate Mr. Keifer.



GEN. J. WARREN KEIFER, Believed to be in the midst of European War—Went on Peace Mission.

## WORK ON FOUNDATION OF D. T. & I. DEPOT

Workmen are busy laying the foundation of the new D. T. & I. depot, while others are remodeling the old passenger station and converting it into a freight depot.

A few days will witness the completion of the new freight depot, and the beginning of the framework on the new passenger station.

Meanwhile the D. T. & I. offices are located in camp cars, and the waiting room is located in a camp car. Much inconvenience results to passengers, but within a few weeks the new depot will be ready for use. The contract calls for completion of the depot by September 15.

### AT THE EMPIRE.

"A Little Christian", a pastoral comedy drama in four acts will be the initial offering of the Lanham players who open a week's engagement at the Empire Opera House next Monday night.

This company, having played a previous engagement here, needs no introduction to the patrons of the Empire.

This season the Messrs. Lanham bring to Washington a company of players composed of a cast of ten artists, two tons of new and special scenery and an entire new line of plays.

The usual ladies' free offering will prevail for the Monday night's performance. Get these ladies' free seats reserved before six o'clock Monday evening.

### VON MOLTKE, SIXTY-SIX.

SEVEN FEET TALL, HEADS GERMANY'S GREAT ARMY.

Count von Moltke, commander in chief of the Germany army, was reported to have taken the field with Kaiser Wilhelm as soon as the resistance in Belgium proved that the German plan of invasion needed the best heads behind it. Von Moltke is a nephew of the famous field marshal who is dead. Count von Moltke is one of the tallest men in the German army. He stands nearly seven feet in his stockings. He is sixty-six years old. He has been chief of the general staff since 1904.



COUNT VON MOLTKE

## City Churches

### Grace M. E. Church.

Rev. F. E. Ross, Pastor.

Sunday school and preaching services will be held in High School Auditorium.

Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. C. E. Lloyd, superintendent.

Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Opportunities and Obligations."

No Epworth League services.

Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Open-air union services to be held on Court House lawn. Everybody welcome.

### Presbyterian Church.

Wm. Boynton Gage, pastor. Sabbath school at 9 a. m. M. E. Hitchcock, Supt.

10:30 a. m. Morning worship.

The pastor preaching on "The Way to Victory." A message for the warring world, the first in a series of sermons on, "The Bible and Our Day"

A nursery for the care of babies and small children.

Senior Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.

7:30 p. m. Union Service, Court House lawn, the pastor preaching on, "Prophecy and the Present Crisis."

### First Baptist Church.

Rev. A. W. West, Pastor. Bible school 9:30 a. m. J. Howard Hicks, superintendent.

Morning service 10:45. Sermon by pastor.

B. Y. P. U. 6:45 p. m.

7:30 p. m. Open air service court house lawn.

### St. Andrew's Mission.

Mr. J. Schaffer of Dayton, will conduct the regular services Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the Simpson annex building. The public is cordially invited to attend.

### Christian Science.

The Christian Science services will be held on the 2nd floor of Masonic Temple, Sunday morning at 10:45, and Wednesday evening at 7:30. Invitation kindly extended.

### East End Chapel.

Rev. P. J. Henness, pastor. Sabbath school 2:00 p. m. H. M. Barnes, Supt.

Christian Endeavor 6:45.

### Church of Christ.

Bowman Hostetler, Pastor. Bible School, 9:15 a. m. Mabel A. Jones, Supt.

Communion and preaching 10:30 a. m. Subject of sermon: "Christ's Universal Witness". Fifth sermon of series on "Evangelism."

C. E. meeting 6:30 p. m. Topic, "Our Social Life for Christ."

Union open-air meeting on court house lawn. Song service begins at 7:30 p. m.

Training for service class, Monday 7:30 p. m.

Mid-week meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m. Topic: "On What Are You Building?"

Strangers and visitors welcome at all services.

### A. M. E. Church.

Rev. J. O. Haightcox, Pastor. 9:30 a. m. Sunday school. 10:45 a. m. Preaching.

6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor.

7:45 p. m. Preaching.

## FREE TRIP TO OHIO STATE FAIR

The Agricultural Commission of Ohio will pay the expenses of a trip to the Ohio State Fair for one boy from each county who is in the 1914 corn, potato or apple growing contests, and who has complied with all of the rules.

The selection of the boy will be made at the county auditor's office Monday, August 24, at 10 a. m., by the following persons:

County commissioners, county school examiners, president and secretary of county and independent fairs, president and secretary of County Teachers' Institute, Masters of Granges, president and secretary of County Sunday School convention, president and secretary of each regular and independent Farmer Institute, president and secretary of farmer picnics that have been organized for two years or more, each newspaper, president and secretaries of Pomona Granges, Pioneer associations and Farmers' Mutual Insurance companies, presidents, secretaries and township vice-presidents of County Crop Improvement Associations, persons or firms offering a free Washington trip to have one vote for each trip offered. In case the money for the free trip was raised by subscription the officer or person in charge of the subscription to have the vote, whom we hope will be present at above named date and select the most deserving boy; not necessarily the boy with the greatest pull.

Voting must be done in person. No proxies allowed. Instruction blanks have been sent to all boys entered in these contests.

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Choice Ross County Peaches 5c per pound.  
Small Ross County Peaches 3 pounds for 10c

Finest Home-grown Tomatoes 3 pounds 10c  
Fresh Pulled Sugar Corn 12c per dozen  
Damson Plums 10c quart. 2 quarts for 15c  
California Malaga Grapes 15c pound.  
Red and Blue Giant Prunes 3 for 5c, 20c doz.  
California Bartlett Pears 2 for 5c.

## THE FEMININE ENIGMA.

Queer Incident of the Turkish Revolution of 1908.

In "The Orient Express" Arthur Moore, F. R. G. S., relates a true incident of the Young Turks' revolution of 1908, in which a woman plays a thrilling dramatic part. Herself a revolutionary and the sister of Major Enver Bey, she was the wife of Nazim Bey, the sultan's principal police spy at Saloniki, whose assassination the committee of union and progress had decided upon. She did not hesitate to help the murderer. She left the curtains undrawn where she and her husband were dining together and placed a strong light behind him. Then she sat waiting tensely. Soon the shot rang out. But the conspirator had bungled. Nazim was only wounded. Six weeks later the miracle of the revolution was accomplished, and the committee, clement in their triumph, condemned Nazim Bey not to death, but to exile, and would have exiled his wife into a hermitage. But she, to Enver Bey's astonishment, proposed to go and share her husband's lonely exile at Benghazi. "But, my sister," said Enver, "it is unthinkable that you should suffer such a terrible fate. Moreover, the man is an infamous spy, who deserves death. Why should you share his public disgrace?"

"He is my husband," she answered. "and I love him."  
"You love him! But were you not already a consenting and even abetting party to the death which was intended for him?"

"That is true. I was willing that he should die for the sake of our cause, but as he is to live I shall live with him. Where he goes I shall go."  
So together the husband and wife went to Benghazi.

### Comparative.

"Is there any truth to the assertion made by scientists," asked a young man recently, "that when a man and a woman have lived together for some time their facial characteristics assume a similarity?"

The man to whom the question was put was supposed to be a scientist, but he chose to regard the question in a humorous light.

"There most certainly is," he replied. "I know a man who married a widow, and she was constantly reminding him of her first husband."—New York Tribune.

### Side Interests.

"No, I didn't hire your friend."  
"Why didn't you? He's an able man."  
"Well, he's a health enthusiast. Has to go out every hour for seventeen inhalations of ozone, does setting up exercises four times a day and has to have a quart of hot water to drink every fifteen minutes. I fear he would have little time for actual business."—Kansas City Journal.

### Suitable Calling.

"What business are you going to put your son to, Brown?"  
"Well, haven't decided yet, but judging from the hours he keeps I should judge he was naturally cut out for a milkman."—Sydney Bulletin.

## NOTICE

To Chauffeurs of Fayette and adjoining counties.

The State Examination for chauffeurs will be held at Washington C. H., Ohio, on Monday, Aug. 17, at the office of District Tax Assessor in the court house, beginning at 8 o'clock a. m.

All persons who drive for hire or work in garages are required to have a state chauffeur's license. This will be your last opportunity to take this examination at Washington C. H. and all those who do not take advantage of it will be compelled to come to Columbus for their examination in the future.

R. F. Nadig,  
District Examiner.

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weighing about 1½ lbs. 6-lb section 35c  
Fresh B. & C. Cakes 10c and 15c square.  
Mrs. Mayer's Cake 30c square.

The Granite Pails and Dish Pans we are selling today at 25c may be gone when you read this. Phone early if you wish one. 25c each.

Fresh Kalamazoo Celery by express this afternoon. 3 bunches for 10c.



# In Social Circles

One of the most charming of summer garden parties was given Friday afternoon by Mrs. J. W. Willis and daughter, Mrs. R. O. Young, in company with Mrs. D. O. Beath.

The beautiful Willis lawn, shaded with spreading trees, provided ideal surroundings for a congenial circle of fifty women, who thoroughly enjoyed meeting Mrs. Beath, together with the spontaneous hospitalities of the afternoon.

Dainty summer gowns of every hue enhanced the beauty of the scene, and a refreshing summer collation was served under the trees.

Pansies were the guest favors. Assisting the hostesses were Miss Pepple and Miss Carrie Willis.

Mrs. Anna Bush Coffman delightfully entertained a dozen of the younger society girls Friday afternoon, in honor of Miss Juanita Deere, of Chicago.

Miss Deere will remain the guest of Washington friends and relatives until the middle of September, when she returns to her home to enter the Chicago Art Institute, from which she graduates this year.

She has been the guest of honor at several affairs and the one of Friday afternoon gave opportunity for the renewal of former acquaintances. Miss Deere's pretty blonde type was well set off by a beautiful gown of white shadow lace, with rose mesaline girdle.

Mrs. Coffman received in a lingerie gown of white and pink. Vases of golden glow and nasturtiums graced the large rooms, and a pink and white color scheme was carried out in the dainty refreshments served.

The guests included Miss Evelyn Ross and guest, Miss Holdren, of Charleston, W. Va.; Misses Geraldine Coffman, Janet Stutson, Margaret Mark, Ruth Parrett, Doris McFadden, Jane Paul, Dorothy Fullerton, Alice Loofbourrow.

Mrs. Frank Perrill entertained the Friday afternoon Kensington club, with a number of additional guests, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Perrill is always a charming hostess and the perfect day, together with the big porch converted into a bower of greenery and utilized as a reception room, made the affair most attractive.

Baskets of smilax, flowers, ferns and trailing vines, hung overhead and a luxuriant array of potted ferns and plants suggested the conservatory.

A delicious collation was served during the afternoon's chat, Mrs. Harry Rodecker and Mrs. Clarence Craig assisting the hostess.

Mrs. Fred Sprenger, of Marion, Ill., and Mrs. Sherman Murray, of Washington, D. C., were out-of-town guests.

Miss Helen Glascock gave a pretty party Friday afternoon for her bright little niece, Georgiana Glascock. Games and paper caps entertained the children, and a tempting summer luncheon was served.

The little guests were Jean Worthington, Enid McClure, Janet Whelpley, Jean Michael, Portia Brownell, Mary Josephine Bireley, Virginia Sprenger, of Marion, Ill., and Thomas Craig.

Entertaining her young niece, Helena McLean, of Magnetic Springs, Miss Rose McLean gave a jolly little picnic spread Friday. The additional guests were Ruth and Mary Hagler, Mary West and Dorothy Dunlap.

Ellis Daugherty will occupy the residence they vacate, moving from W. Market street.

Mrs. R. C. Carr and daughter, Gladys, of Muncie, Ind., are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Sarah E. McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wilkin and son, Daniel, returned Friday night from a visit with Mrs. Wilkin's parent, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bean, in Hillsboro.

Y. M. C. A. Secretary Walter Patton, is spending Sunday in Springfield.

Mrs. Ione Bryant is spending six weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Anna Irish, in Elkhart, Ill.

Edward DeWeese is spending the week in Greenfield, visiting his uncle Mr. G. L. Todhunter, and attending the chautauqua.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Howat, Miss Jean Howat and guest, Miss Mary Dudley, of Clifton Forge, Va., made a motoring trip to Dayton Friday.

Mr. G. W. Waggoner joined his wife for a visit at the home of Mr. T. M. Ustick, and daughter, Mrs. Regina Staubus, Friday.

Miss Gail Bodenheimer, of Columbus, is spending the week the guest of Mrs. Austin F. Hopkins.

Mr. H. K. Stewart had as his guests at Spring Hill farm this week one of the most prominent Duroc hog judges of the country, Mr. Carl Allen, of Russell, Ia., and three of the foremost Duroc hog breeders of Ohio, Messrs. Ira Jackson, of Tippecanoe City, and R. C. Watt, of Cedarville, and Pearl Mahan, of Osborn. The party was enroute from a Duroc sale at Versailles, Ky.

Mrs. W. E. Martin left Saturday evening for a two weeks' visit with Mrs. David Morris in Sabina.

Mr. C. W. Barnes, of Post 669, has been appointed the only delegate from Ross county to the 48th National Encampment to be held in Detroit, August 31st to Sept. 4th. He will leave this city August 30.

Miss Lulu Theobald leaves Monday for a ten days' stay in Chicago and Cleveland, purchasing fall millinery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Star Smith and daughter, Miss Dorothy, who occupied the residence of Mrs. Bertha S. Miller and son, Oliver, during their summer's absence, have taken rooms temporarily with Miss Florence Ogle on East street.

Col. George Evans, of Mt. Oreb, is here to attend the fair and has entered Ashlawn Finch in the three-year-old trot.

Rankin Paul, who is with the Hill's Wild West show, came over from Leesburg Saturday and will remain at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Paul, over next week. The Hill show will be one of the Fayette County Fair attractions.

Miss Leola Rodgers has been entertaining Miss Rurle Hoppess, of Springfield, for the past ten days.

Miss Wilma Hammer left Saturday for Cleveland, where she will visit her brother, Mr. Raymond Hammer.

Mr. W. D. Craig returned Friday from a business trip in the interest of Craig Bros.' store, to New York and Cleveland.

Mrs. E. L. Miller is visiting in Springfield.

Mrs. Frank M. Kennedy, Mrs. C. U. Armstrong and Mrs. E. F. Todhunter are the guests of Miss Monte Parrett at the Parrett country home today.

Mr. Willis Cawley has returned from a trip to Cleveland.

Miss Ruth McCoy has been a week end visitor in Columbus.

Miss Ruth Smith visited in Jeffersonville this week.

Miss Helen Harper returned Friday evening from a visit in Woodstock.

Miss Emily Tanzey returns Sunday from a visit in Newark.

Mr. Chas. Swissheim, of Hillsboro is in Washington to remain over for the fair races, in which he has entered several horses.

Mrs. Minnie Brown is spending a few days visiting her son, Mr. Alfred Brown, in Middletown.

Mrs. Anna Morgan has returned from the fall millinery openings and wishes to announce that she has a full line of fall millinery, including black velvet sailors, trimmed, ready to wear; price \$2 to \$3.

# STUTSON'S TONIGHT

White and linen colored Skirts, \$1.25 at **49c**  
White linen and ratine Skirts, \$3.50 at **\$1.45**  
White Ratine Skirts, \$5.50 at **\$2.95**  
White and Colored Dresses up to \$6 **\$1.95**  
White and Colored Waists, \$1.00 at **29c**  
Ladies' Gowns at **49c 69c 79c 98c**  
Ladies' White Under Skirts **39c 49c 69c 79c 98c**  
Ladies' Princess Slips **49c 69c 79c 98c**  
**Come And See Us**  
**FRANK L. STUTSON**

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Edith Rauch arrives from Norwood, Cincinnati, Monday, to be the guest of Miss Lucy Edna Pine.

Miss Elizabeth McDonald returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit with Miss Katharine Dunn in Columbus. Misses Katharine and Margaret Dunn accompanied her home for a visit.

Mrs. Louis Bernard, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Willison, on South Hinde street, returned to her home in Cincinnati Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rothrock returned Saturday from a stay of several weeks at Russell Point, where their daughter, Mrs. Charles Bell, has a cottage.

Miss Lannius and Miss Virginia Campbell are visiting friends in Chillicothe.

Miss Mariellen Wigginton is the guest of friends in Greenfield.

Miss Dottie Highland is home from Ft. Wayne, Ind., where she spent a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. Herbert Snyder. She was accompanied home by her brother, Mr. Laban Highland, wife and son, Harry, who will spend three weeks with Mr. Highland's father, Mr. S. V. Highland.

Mr. Edwin Jones spent Thursday in Columbus.

Mrs. Joe Gillespie is the guest of Mrs. Katharine Miller in Lancaster.

Miss Helen Jones has joined a Mt. Sterling camping party for a ten days' camp on Deer creek.

Miss Jean Fitzgerald and brother, Lyman, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Loofbourrow, and uncle, Mr. M. F. Loofbourrow, in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Glascock have broken up housekeeping in the Cissna double house on W. Temple street and will visit with Mrs. Glascock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rothrock, for a week or so before their removal to Cincinnati. Mr. and Mrs.

## NEW GENERATOR AT LOCAL POWER PLANT

A monster new 180 K. W. generator and engine, of latest design, is being installed at the power house of the Washington Gas and Electric company, and while the work is under way, it will require several weeks before the generator is ready for use.

When placed in operation the ponderous piece of machinery will be utilized in generating the current used in the day time in this city, New Holland, Bloomingburg, Jeffersonville, Milledgeville and Leesburg.

The capacity of the plant will be greatly increased by the addition of the new generator.

## DEATHS

**JONES.**  
Florence Jones, aged 16 years, daughter of Nathaniel and Alice Jones, died Friday night at 10:30 at her residence on Campbell street. Funeral services will be held Monday morning at 10:30 at residence. Interment will be made in Washington cemetery.

## RENO WILL PITCH FOR ATHLETICS

Lineup Will Be Same as Before on Both eTams Save That Linson Will Play the Right Garden—Manager Noon Secures Dave Powell of Greenfield, Catcher and Infielder.

With the exception of the right field on the local lineup, which will be covered by Linson, the team chosen to stack up against the fast Cincinnati Muldoons here tomorrow afternoon is about the same as the one that suffered the 4 to 0 defeat a few weeks ago, but it is more determined one and one that realizes what it has to buck up against. The Muldoons have not changed their lineup and will meet Washington with the same team.

The game is expected to draw out a capacity crowd as the visiting team is one of, if not the strongest that has played here this year and the local team will have a bad taste in their mouths from the defeat administered by Queen City stars a short

## BROWN CASE SET FOR MONDAY MORNING

Owing to the death of a daughter of the prosecuting witness, the bootlegging case against Henry Brown, which was set for hearing Saturday morning, has been continued until Monday morning.

Brown has been confined in the county jail while awaiting a hearing.

## GOT HIS NUMBER

A large touring car bearing four of Bainbridge's finest and license number 42,975, left early Sunday evening for Rainsboro where four blushing damsels eagerly awaited their coming. Later reports have it that one of the young men purchased a diamond ring this week. Further announcements later.—Bainbridge Observer.

## MODISH HOUSE GOWNS ARE FASHIONED OF THE PRETTY FIGURED CRAPE.

Charming boudoir and morning gowns are designed of the dainty figured crapes. The morning dress shown here is carried out in pink and white flowered material. The fullness at the neck and waist is controlled by bands of ribbon. A little Dutch cap of net and ribbon may be worn with the dress.



## FRIEND WINS FIRST BRINER IS THIRD

C. C. Friend, in a Buick car, won first prize of \$200 in the Athens automobile race, and Erway Briner, who won the auto race in this city a few weeks ago, finished third.

E. E. Smith, of Lancaster, carried off second money, \$100, in a little Overland machine.

Best time was 36 minutes for the 25 mile race.

An automobile race is being run at Lebanon, today, with several Lancaster machines participating. Ralph Cline of this city is also entered in the race.

## JOSEPH E. DAVIES MAY BE MADE CHAIRMAN OF NEW TRADE COMMISSION.

Washington, August 15.—It has been understood that Joseph E. Davies of Wisconsin, commissioner of corporations, would be chairman of the commission. In one of the first drafts of the bill the "present commissioner of corporations" was designated as the first chairman of the trade commission. While the pending bill does not specify it, senators and representatives have been led to believe that Mr. Davies would be appointed if the commission is created. Republicans in the senate have been growing more and more restless over the political activities of Mr. Davies.



JOSEPH E. DAVIES

Weather for Ohio—Generally fair tonight. Warmer in West portion Sunday fair and warmer.

**Self Denial.**  
Teacher—What do you understand by the words "self denial?" Pupil—It is when some one comes to borrow money from father and he says he is not at home.—Flegende Blatter.

**The Answer.**  
"They say the Joneses are a very happy couple."  
"But Jones is a traveling man and is very seldom at home."  
"Exactly."—Cleveland Leader.

**New Classification.**  
The Census Taker—How many are there in that bunch of Portuguese? The Landlady—Six. A Portuguese, a Portugander and four little Portugoslings.—Chicago News.

It is easy to despise life. The man is he who can end it.—Mark Twain.

## CLASSIFIED

**LOST**—Side lamp for Ford automobile between Children's Home and Ortman garage. Finder call A. C. Henkle.

**LOST**—Lady's pocketbook, either on Elm street or North street, containing valuable papers. Finder please return to L. Lee on Elm street. Reward.

**FOR RENT**—House six rooms on Yeoman street. Abner Johnson, 133 Columbus avenue. 192 6t

## DAILY TIME TABLE.

BALTIMORE & OHIO S. W.			
GOING WEST		GOING EAST	
No. Cincinnati	No. Columbus	No. Cincinnati	No. Columbus
105...5:05 a. m. d.	110...5:05 a. m. *	101...7:39 a. m.	104...10:42 a. m. *
103...3:32 p. m. d.	108...6:08 p. m. *	107...6:08 p. m. *	106...10:53 p. m. d
East-bound 114, Sundays, 4:19 a. m.			
PENNSYLVANIA LINES.			
GOING WEST		GOING EAST	
No. Cincinnati	No. Zanesville	No. Cincinnati	No. Zanesville
1...9:08 a. m. *	6...9:47 a. m. *	19...3:50 p. m. *	34...5:45 p. m. *
Sunday to Cincinnati		Sunday to Lancaster	
106...7:40 a. m.		105...8:58 p. m.	
C. H. & D.			
GOING NORTH		GOING SOUTH	
No. Dayton	No. Wellston	No. Dayton	No. Wellston
201...7:50 a. m. d.	202...9:45 a. m. d	203...4:12 p. m. *	204...6:12 p. m. *
SUNDAY ONLY.			
263...7:48 p. m. d.	262...7:06 p. m.		
DETROIT, TOLEDO & IRONTON.			
GOING NORTH		GOING SOUTH	
No. Springfield	No. Greenfield	No. Springfield	No. Greenfield
2...7:34 a. m. d.	9...9:45 a. m. d	10...12:30 p. m. d	15...7:30 p. m. d
Daily. * Daily except Sunday			

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on your part in buying at this store. You may find our prices elsewhere but you will not find our quality. The quality of the goods we sell will be remembered long after the price is forgotten.

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## COST OF LIVING HAS GONE UP

But every dollar spent with us now for Furniture will buy more Quality and vastly more beauty than ever before.

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**DALEY**



# CAPITALISTS ASK WAR INSURANCE

Would Relieve Conditions Produced By War Abroad.

## LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED

Representatives of the Country's Largest Financial and Shipping Interests Hold Important Conference With Secretary McAdoo—Committee Headed by Seth Low to Advise With Government Departments.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Government insurance against war risk of American register ships and their cargoes was the solution offered by sixty-two representative business men of the country for the stoppage of American over seas commerce because of the European war.

The proposal was made in definite form after a conference, presided over by Secretary McAdoo of the treasury department, who called the meeting. Practically all of the largest banking and shipping interests in the United States were represented.

The conference appointed a committee of twelve, headed by Seth Low, president of the National Civic Federation to remain in Washington

and advise with the governmental departments and committees of congress during the framing of legislation believed necessary to relieve conditions produced by the war abroad.

The committee began drafting a bill, to be presented to congress immediately and pressed for passage, with a view to having a government insurance bureau in operation as soon as possible after the pending measure modifying restrictions upon American registration of foreign built ships goes into effect.

In a statement issued by Secretary McAdoo he declared it to have been the consensus of opinion at the conference that, with "enlarged registry of American ships and action by the government supplementing what private companies might do in connection with insurance, the question of exports and of foreign exchange would rapidly solve themselves."

Many speakers, including J. P. Morgan, James J. Hill and other financiers, pointed out that Great Britain, France and Belgium already had provided for government war insurance of their merchant shipping. Against this action they declared the United States would be helpless, as no ships would pass under the American flag with the passage of the proposed registry law unless their owners were assured of insurance under the Stars and Stripes. The result would be a foreign monopoly of sea transportation, they predicted, and the fixing abroad of a price at which American wheat and cotton would be sold.

## QUEEN WILHELMINA

Holland's Ruler Mobilizes Army to Resist a German Invasion.



Photo by American Press Association.

# SMOOTH JOB BY THIEVES

Paymaster, Physician and Deputy Sheriff Lose Their Lives.

## SCENE IN WEST VIRGINIA WILDS

Murderers Escape With \$10,000 in Cash, the Monthly Wage of a Coal Company's Employees — Traveling Men Find the Three Dead Bodies, but No Trace of the Bandits—Details of a Daring Holdup.

Bluefield, W. Va., Aug. 15.—Ambushed where a winding, lonely stretch of track breaks the impenetrable fastness of the Blue Ridge mountains and in the solemn of great timber tracts, three men, a paymaster, a deputy sheriff and a physician, were held up by bandits, shot to death and then robbed of a \$10,000 coal mine monthly payroll. The holdup took place near Glen Alum, seventy-five miles west of here.

The dead: F. E. Johnson, paymaster Glen Alum Fuel company; Joseph Shaler, deputy sheriff; Dr. W. G. Amick, company physician.

The highwaymen made a clean getaway. Probably an hour after the robbery traveling men, footing it toward the Glen Alum railway station, found the three dead bodies and no trace of the bandits.

As is the custom, owing to the desolation of the country, the Glen Alum Fuel company received \$10,500 in bills of small denominations from a national bank in Cincinnati by train, and immediately after Paymaster Johnson, Deputy Sheriff Shaler and Dr. Amick boarded a railroad motor and started for the company mines, three and a half miles up the hollow.

The holdup occurred at a point half way between. As the motor, by which the same trip was made by the same men many times before, can in a pinch do fifty miles an hour, there is wide speculation on how the robbery occurred. Either something went wrong with the motor or the track ahead was blocked.

## Greatest Song Writers.

The immortal quartet of song writers are Goethe, Heine, Burns and Beranger. Of the four Burns is by far the most popular. Goethe was at heart an "Olympian" and in all things a pessimist and cynic; Beranger, while much more human, was a little bit too critical, while Burns, democratic to the core and of immense sympathy, threw himself into the common human life of the world with a whole heart and wrote the songs that will live and be loved while humanity endures.—New York American.

## Weight of a Gallon of Milk.

"What is the standard weight for sweet milk?"  
A quart of milk weighs 2.153 pounds and a gallon 8.612 pounds, or a quart 2.15 pounds and a gallon 8.6 pounds. It is understood that the temperature of the milk and the relative proportions of the butter fat and solids not butter fat cause the weight of milk to vary, but the weights stated above are those generally used.—Progressive Farmer.

## Different Ideas.

"I'm paying all my debts. I believe the end of the world will come next month."  
"I don't understand your logic. If I thought the end of the world was coming next month I'd order a lot of stuff on credit now."—Pittsburgh Post.

Cost little; pay much—Want ads.

## THE OLD RELIABLE STILL IN THE LEAD

Sugar and soup beans seem to be in a balloon and rising fast. We shall endeavor to hold it down as low as possible. Extra fine canteloupes, peaches, oranges, bananas, lemons, Spanish onions, ripe tomatoes, green corn, Kentucky Wonder beans, Eastern Shore sweet potatoes, 5c per lb.; Buttercrust bread, finest bread sold in town. Fayette county white clover honey, 20c per lb. Coffee is advancing. We are still selling at the old price.

Yours,  
J. W. DUFFEE & CO.,  
Both phones No. 77.  
The Old Reliable Cash Grocers.

# BIG CANAL IS OPENED

Informal Opening Takes Place Without Ceremony.

Washington, Aug. 15.—With the initial trip of the Panama railroad steamship Cristobal through the Panama canal from Atlantic to Pacific today the isthmian waterway was opened to the commerce of the world.

For the present vessels requiring more than thirty feet of water through the channel will not be able to make the passage, but it is expected that the channel will be deepened by the time any vessels of more than thirty feet draft are ready to pass through. The informal opening today took place almost without ceremony.

The formal and official opening will take place next March, when there is to be an international celebration, at which President Wilson and the members of his cabinet are to be present. It is understood there are a number of steamship lines ready to send their vessels through the canal at once.

Red Cross Bala Blue makes the laundress happy, makes clothes whiter than snow. All good grocers.

## Political Announcements

### COMMISSIONER.

I respectfully solicit the support of the voters of Fayette county in my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner on the Democratic ticket.

W. S. DRAPER.

# EDWARDS FACES WIFE'S CHARGE

New York, Aug. 15.—John H. Edwards, first assistant secretary of the treasury under President Roosevelt, was arrested in his room in the Park Avenue hotel and arraigned before United States Commissioner Houston on a warrant charging him with non-support and desertion of his wife and three young children in Washington. On the advice of his lawyer he waived examination and was taken back to Washington for trial. When arrested Edwards refused to tell what he was doing for a livelihood. He said he was separated from his wife and hadn't money enough to support her.

## TO ORGANIZE THE NEW COMMITTEE

Columbus, Aug. 15.—Call was issued for the new Republican state central committee to meet next Wednesday at the Neil House. The committee will organize and is expected to appoint a state executive committee at this meeting. It is said either Chairman W. L. Parmenter of Lima will be re-elected as the head of the central committee or the chairmanship will be given to Sherman M. Granger of Zanesville.

## JEWELER ROBBED

Urbana, O., Aug. 15.—The jewelry store of A. J. Conn was robbed of \$1,000 worth of watches and rings. The plate glass front was smashed with a brick. The contents of the window were grabbed up and the thief escaped.

## POULTRY SHIPPERS

Marion, O., Aug. 15.—The executive committee of the Ohio Butter, Egg and Poultry Producers' and Shippers' association, in session here, decided to hold the state convention in Columbus Oct. 1.

# TOD FREED

Columbus, Aug. 15.—David Tod of Youngstown, defeated for the Republican nomination for governor, was acquitted in police court of charge brought by County Auditor Fred M. Sayre that he had given an untrue statement to the newspapers. The verdict came after the jury had debated for a little over two hours. Mr. Tod made no comment for publication. The case was brought by Mr. Sayre under the state's new law making it a misdemeanor to furnish untrue or false statements to newspapers, and followed the publication of a statement from Mr. Tod declaring that Mr. Sayre and local politicians had attempted to obtain a \$5,000 donation for use in the Franklin county campaign.

## FAMILY PAID

Columbus, Aug. 15.—While chasing two thieves who had stolen pig iron from the plant where he was employed as watchman, James Fair of Youngstown fell dead, presumably from exhaustion or apoplexy. The widow and nine children have been granted \$3,678.48 by the state industrial commission out of the workmen's compensation fund.

## AUTO AND TROLLEY CAR IN COLLISION

Dayton, Aug. 15.—Mr. W. C. Mendenhall of Trotwood is in a local hospital with a fractured skull, broken arm and leg, resulting from collision between his automobile and an interurban car.

## BOYCOTT DEALERS

Providence, R. I., Aug. 15.—The Providence Housewives' league, socially prominent, plans to boycott all dealers forcing high prices for foodstuffs.

## The Worm Turned.

"Is any one waiting on you?" finally asked the haughty saleslady, condescending at last to notice the shopping person.

"I'm afraid not," replied the latter. "My husband was—I left him outside—but I'm afraid he's become disgusted and gone home."—Toledo Blade.

## Woman, Lovely Woman.

Every time a new young man calls the girl who wouldn't know a waffle griddle from a nutmeg grater gets terribly domestic in the trend of her conversation.—Florida Times-Union.

## To Make Them Smart.

"Mr. Pedagog is an old time teacher. He believes in the rod to brighten up dull boys."  
"Well, isn't that the natural way to make them smart?"

House on Fayette street now occupied by Leo Katz will be for rent September 1st; modern and city heat if preferred. See R. C. Peddicoord.

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## ARE YOU A MATHEMATICIAN?

Then Solve This Problem and Win a Prize of \$25,000.

The largest single prize offered for a scientific discovery is still going begging. The prize has been open to competition for many years. At first sight the problem for a solution of which the prize is offered looks no more difficult than those with which high school students are familiar, but many of the greatest mathematicians in the world have tried to solve the problem and given it up in despair.

It is known as Fermat's problem. Nearly 300 years ago Fermat, one of the greatest mathematicians who ever lived, stated that the equation  $x^n + y^n = z^n$  could not be satisfied by whole numbers when  $n$  is an odd prime number different from unity. The problem may be stated in another way—viz. that  $x^n + y^n = z^n$  cannot be satisfied when  $n$  is any integer greater than 2. The one follows as a logical conclusion from the other.

The Academy of Sciences of Göttingen, Germany, offers a prize of 100,000 marks about \$25,000 for proof of this assertion. This is the prize that is going begging.

Dr. Joseph Bowden, professor of mathematics, Adelphi college, Brooklyn, asked by the Scientific American to state the precise conditions for winning the prize, writes that the Academy of Sciences will not consider any manuscripts sent in, but only proposed solutions printed and offered for sale as monographs, in books on mathematics or in mathematical periodicals. The award will not be made until two years after the publication of the memoir in order that mathematicians may have ample opportunity to test and criticize the solution.

The object of these restrictions is to save the academy from being flooded with undigested manuscripts. It will only consider solutions that have stood the test of some competent editor or publisher in the first place.

## Imposition.

"I don't see why lawyers should get imposed on so much," said Farmer Cornblossom.  
"Imposed on!"  
"Yes. Every time one gets a government office he says he is compelled to give up a lucrative practice."—Washington Star.

## Cocoon Bean Currency.

When Mexico was discovered by the Spaniards, in 1519, cocoon beans were used for currency. The Spaniards found two and a half millions pounds of beans in the national treasury.

Read the Classified Columns.

## \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## How To Conquer Rheumatism At Your Own Home.

If you or any of your friends suffer from rheumatism, kidney disorders or excess of uric acid, causing lameness, backache, muscular pain; stiff, painful, swollen joints, pain in the limbs and feet; dimness of sight, itching skin or frequent neuralgic pains, I invite you to send for a generous Free Trial Treatment of my well-known, reliable **Chronicure**, with references and full particulars by mail. (This is no C. O. D. scheme.) No matter how many may have failed in your case, let me prove to you, free of cost, that rheumatism can be conquered. **Chronicure** cleanses the blood and removes the cause. Also for a weakened, run-down condition of the system, you will find **Chronicure** a most satisfactory general tonic that makes you feel that life is worth living. Please tell your friends of this liberal offer, and send today for large free package, to MRS. M. SUMMERS, 131 B. Washington Avenue, South Bend, Indiana.

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**FOR RENT—Furnished rooms.**  
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**FOR RENT—One side double house.** East Temple street; 5 rooms, hard and soft water. Chas. U. Armstrong. 189 6t

**FOR RENT—Modern house on North street;** 5-room house on Lees-burg avenue; gas. Citizens phone 4750. 189 6t

**FOR RENT—For cash, 150 acres** good land north of town; good improvements. Citizens 4197. James & Hays, Washington avenue. 187 6t

**FOR RENT—Five-room house,** Briar avenue, Millwood. Gas and electric lights. Chas. L. Kising, Millwood avenue. 182 tf

**FOR RENT—Six-room house,** new papered, soft and hard water. Van Deman street. Harry Fitzgerald. 182 12t

## FOR SALE.

**FOR SALE—Baby buggy** in good condition. Bell phone 65 W. 191 6t

**FOR SALE—One lot, 60x165 feet** on Washington avenue, small tenant house; good location for permanent home. Inquire 257 Washington avenue. 190 6t

**FOR SALE—5 passenger Ford touring car** in first-class condition; cheap. Call Herald office. 187 6t

**FOR SALE—A Reed piano,** practically new; bargain if sold soon; price \$160. Jacob Nelson, Good Hope, Ohio. 187 6t

**FOR SALE—"Harley Davidson"** 1914 motorcycle; first class condition; fully equipped. Call Bell 336. 181 12t

**FOR SALE—5-room house,** new barn, good out buildings, both kinds water and hydrant. Mrs. Margaret Hirt, Millwood avenue. 172-tf

## WANTED.

**WANTED—Ladies to sew at home.** Earn \$10 weekly. Work sent prepaid King Mfg. Co., 1431 Broadway, N. Y. City. 191 6t

**WANTED—Married man** with small family on farm; furnished ready work. Leave application for job at Herald office. 190 7t

**WANTED—Young men and women.** Opportunity to secure free transportation to the San Francisco and San Diego expositions in 1915. Apply in person at Herald office. 188 tf

**WANTED—100 ladies** to receive free at Rodecker's News Stand, a nice tray, given with each 5 cent package of Bull Durham Tobacco, while the supply lasts. 173-tf

## LOST AND FOUND.

**LOST—Gold Masonic watch charm.** Found at Worrell's Jewelry store. 191 3t

**LOST—Between North North St.,** Washington C. H., and Eber, Wednesday, an automobile crank. Leave 443 N. North street. A. P. Kilgore. 190 6t

**LOST—Small tan collie pup,** with white face, collar, breast and feet. Return to Dorothy Fullerton. Reward. 187 6t

**LOST—C. O. I. A. L. watch fob,** mile relay" on back. Call E. G. May, Bell 214 W1. 189 6t

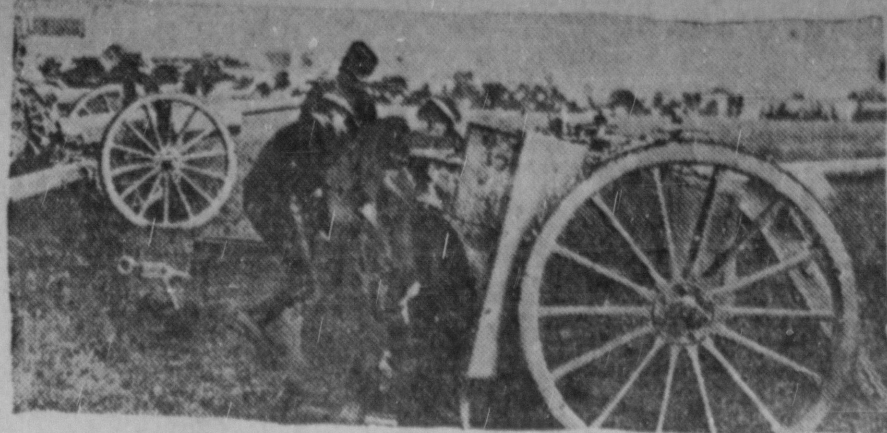


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## FRENCH ARTILLERY IN ACTION.

# BASE BALL

Cleveland, Aug. 15.—By taking advantage of Nap errors and slamming Bill Steen at opportune times, the Tigers defeated the Naps. Score: Detroit.....0 1 0 0 2 1 2 2 0—8 R H E Cleveland.....1 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 0—4 9 5 Batteries—Dause and Stange; Colimore, Couble and O'Neill.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE.

CLUBS. W. L. PC. CLUBS. W. L. PC. Phila.....58 35 560 Chicago.....54 54 556 Boston.....58 47 552 St. Louis.....50 53 485 Wash'tn.....56 48 538 N. York.....48 57 457 Detroit.....54 52 509 Cleveland.....34 76 309

**AT ST. LOUIS—** R. H. E. Chicago.....0 1 0 0 2 0 0 3—6 8 1 St. Louis.....0 1 3 0 0 0 0 0—4 8 1 Batteries—Faber, Lathrop, Benz and Thomas and Agnew.

**AT BOSTON—** R. H. E. New York.....0 2 1 0 4 0 0 0—7 7 1 Boston.....4 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—6 11 4 Batteries—Brown, Keating, Cole and Sweeney; Foster, Collins, Bedient and Thomas and Carrigan.

**AT PHILADELPHIA—** R. H. E. Washington.....0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0—2 8 0 Philadelphia.....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—11 0 0 Batteries—Johnson and Almsmith; Bressler and Lapp.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE.

CLUBS. W. L. PC. CLUBS. W. L. PC. N. York.....53 42 580 Phila.....48 53 475 Boston.....52 46 535 Cin'ti.....47 55 461 Chicago.....64 49 524 Pittsb'gh.....46 55 455 St. Louis.....55 52 514 Brooklyn.....45 54 455

**AT NEW YORK—** R. H. E. Boston.....0 2 2 0 2 1 0 0—7 11 2 New York.....0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1—3 6 2 Batteries—James and Gowdy; Tesreau, Demaree, Wiltsie and Meyers.

**AT PITTSBURGH—** R. H. E. Cincinnati.....1 1 0 0 0 1 0 4—7 14 3 Pittsburgh.....0 0 4 0 4 0 0 0—8 7 2 Batteries—Douglas, Yingling, Schneider and Clark and Gonzales; McQuillan, O'Toole, Harmon and Coleman.

**AT BROOKLYN—** R. H. E. Philadelphia.....0 0 0 2 1 3 0 0—8 14 4 Brooklyn.....0 3 2 1 0 0 1 0—7 14 2 Batteries—Rixey, Marshall, Tincup and Kilmer; Steele, Schmutz, Allen and Miller.

## FEDERAL LEAGUE.

CLUBS. W. L. PC. CLUBS. W. L. PC. Chicago.....59 47 557 Buffalo.....51 50 505 Baltimore.....55 46 545 Pittsb'gh.....45 56 446 Brooklyn.....53 45 541 St. Louis.....47 60 453 Ind'ian.....55 47 539 K. City.....46 60 431

Kansas City, 6; Baltimore, 5. Chicago, 3; Pittsburgh, 5. St. Louis, 3; Brooklyn, 5.

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

CLUBS. W. L. PC. CLUBS. W. L. PC. Milwaukee.....58 51 577 K. City.....61 60 594 Louisville.....59 53 556 Cleveland.....59 59 509 Columbus.....61 56 531 Miami.....57 63 467 Ind'ian.....63 59 516 St. Paul.....53 78 405

Milwaukee, 6; St. Paul, 4. Columbus, 13; Louisville, 5. Indianapolis, 5; Cleveland, 2. Minneapolis, 10; Kansas City, 4.

# SPORT LETTER

Cincinnati, August 15.

Aside from the steady advance of the Boston team, which now seems to have some prospect of overtaking the leaders before the end of the big fight, there have been no changes of note in the National League race during the past week. New York has been brought back closer to Chicago and St. Louis, thereby making it easier for Boston to advance to the front, provided, of course, the Beane keep up the gait at which they are going at present. The Reds are doing better than holding their own on the eastern trip, a pair of defeats in games that went into extra innings, handicapping them somewhat in their efforts to regain the first division. At the close of the present eastern invasion, which includes games at Pittsburgh on Friday and Saturday, the Reds will perform on the home lot for some weeks, during which new players will be tried out and a strong bid made for a permanent place in the first division. The home series opens on Sunday, August 16th, with a game with Brooklyn. Other Sunday games during the series include August 23 with New York, and August 30 with Philadelphia.

This is the particular time of year when the scouts for the big league teams are putting the finishing touches to the dope they have accumulated on various bush league stars in all sections of the United States and Canada. The final analysis on this prospective big league timber will take place during the coming week and will be followed by announcements of purchases and sales. There

promising minor league talent are up, and the club that lands the stars will have a perceptible dent put in its bank account. Cincinnati is said to have snared several of the best youngsters in the minors whose identity will be disclosed within a few days, and who probably will be on the team's line-up before the end of the season.

Manager Herzog seems to have passed the experimental stage on three of his four infield positions, third base being the only precinct on the inner circle that seems unsatisfactory. Since his threat to quit the team, Niehoff has not been performing up to his early form. Not only has his batting deteriorated, but his fielding is below par, at least two of the games lost by the Reds during the past week being due directly to bobbles on the part of the third baseman. Manager Herzog intends trying out Von Kolnitz at third, and also is angling for an International league third baseman by the name of Bues. A real third baseman, two reliable pitchers and one more outfielder of the Moran-Twombloy-Daniels type, and the Reds will be there for a tough battle every day in the week.

While the races for the America's cup have not yet been declared off officially, there is no doubt that there will be nothing doing in yatching circles between Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock IV and the American sailing vessel selected to defend the cup. The Shamrock has arrived at Bermuda, after a seary voyage from the Azores, reports of the close proximity of German cruisers keeping the officers of the Shamrock and her tender, the Erin, in a constant stew. The Shamrock probably will remain at Bermuda until the war is over, having the protection of the navy as well as the British military there.

Freddie Welsh, the new lightweight champion, is preparing to make a quick get-away from England where the fist fighting game has gone to pot. It is expected that Welsh will arrive in this country within a month, and that he will be kept extremely busy during his visit here. One of his early engagements will be a ten-round sprint with Willie Ritchie, erstwhile title holder, to be followed with a longer bout with Ritchie. Charlie White, Joe Rovers, Joe Mandot, Al Wolgast, Milburn Saylor and Pal Brown are others who want a whack at Welsh when he comes over—and will probably get it.

It looks like a case of "Farewell, Irene", so far as the international Olympic games of 1916 are concerned. These contests were to have been held in Berlin; but with Germany fighting Great Britain, France and Russia, three of the foremost contenders in previous meets, and with Greece, Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Italy doing things that do not please Germany, there seems to be no one on good terms with the Kaiser and the United States and Austria—and these, with Germany, will hardly go in for the big shoe without the others. No matter how soon the war ends, the wounds inflicted will not be sufficiently healed by 1916 to make it pleasant for any of the belligerent nations to send athletes to Berlin. Selah.

C. H. ZUBER.

## Warned Against Coffee.

Once upon a time people wanted state wide prohibition of coffee. In his book, "London in English Literature," Percy H. Boynton says of the old coffee houses:

"As the number of them increased broadsides appeared against them. One was entitled 'The Woman's Petition Against Coffee,' and it asserted that coffee drinking encouraged idling and talkativeness and led men to trifle away their time, scold their chaps and spend their money, all for a little black, thick, nasty, bitter, nauseous puddle water."

## Transposed.

"He—Then my welfare is of no interest to you? She—Not so much as your farewell would be. Mr. Smithers.—Boston Transcript.

We shall never find the situation where courage and cheerfulness will not avail us more than repining.

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## HANDLING BAGGAGE.

A System That Simplifies Matters For the Railroad Men.

Like most other mysteries, that of handling the thousands of pieces of luggage that come to a great railroad station has a simple solution. It seems to the layman that there must be confusion when incoming trains dump hundreds of trunks and hand bags into the baggage rooms for distribution to all quarters of the city. System, which has come to play an important part in all business nowadays, has made baggage handling a rather simple matter for the railroads. It is the use of a key number that does the trick.

Travelers have noticed that their check numbers run into six figures. If they pay attention to the figures on their checks at all. It is the third of these units, counting back from the final number, that is the key to the whole system of distribution. The expressman who handles the baggage for its home distribution hands in to the baggage agent his mass of collected checks, all sorted on that basis, and the baggage handlers hustle the stuff out with very little delay.

Suppose he has only a few checks from an incoming local train. They may read 384741, 384201, 384509, 384735, 384812, 384487, 384622, 384256, 384739, 384747, 384056 and 384123. In each case the first three figures are identical—384. The first variation begins with the fourth, or hundreds, unit. By means of this unit he separates his checks—all the 7's in one bunch, all the 5's in another, and so on.

In the baggage room the trunks and bags are distributed as soon as received in ten apartments, each bearing a unit number, from 0 to 9. That number invariably represents the hundreds unit of the claimant's check. The trunk with a 384543 check would go to the same compartment as one numbered 385543 or 385543 or 12543 or 987543. The figure 5 is the key figure, with the result that there is never any confusion or trouble in locating the baggage desired. It would be in the compartment numbered 5.

This simple plan solves the mystery as to the prompt location of a piece of hand baggage when a passenger rolls up to the baggage room door in a taxi to get the piece of luggage he has had checked and has to wait but a moment to obtain it. It is a very simple solution of the trouble that a few years ago annoyed all travelers who had to wait for baggage to be transferred from one terminal to another in their own conveyances.—New York Sun.

## One Wish Unfulfilled.

Wife—You promised that if I would marry you my every wish should be gratified. Husband—Well, isn't it? Wife—No. I wish I hadn't married you.—Illustrated Bits

# BASE BALL SUNDAY Aug. 16

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## It Was Lincoln's Knife.

Lincoln was always ready to join in a laugh at his own expense and used to tell the following story with intense enjoyment: "In the days when I used to be on the circuit I was accosted in the cars by a stranger, who said, 'Excuse me, sir, but I have an article in my possession which belongs to you.' 'How is that?' I asked, considerably astonished. The stranger took a jack-knife from his pocket. 'This knife,' said he, 'was placed in my hands some years ago with the injunction that I was to keep it until I found a man uglier than myself. I have carried it from that time to this. Allow me to say, sir, that I think you are fairly entitled to the property.'—"Everyday Life of Abraham Lincoln."

## A Bungler.

She (anxious to put him at his ease)—What a nice dance, Mr. Smith! Your set exactly suits mine. He (so nervous)—I'm so glad! I know I'm such a wretched dancer.

## Brazil.

Brazil is a Portuguese term derived from brazo, "a live coal," relative to the red dyewood with which the country abounds.

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# CAPITALISTS ASK WAR INSURANCE

Would Relieve Conditions Produced By War Abroad.

## LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED

Representatives of the Country's Largest Financial and Shipping Interests Hold Important Conference With Secretary McAdoo—Committee Headed by Seth Low to Advise With Government Departments.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Government insurance against war risk of American register ships and their cargoes was the solution offered by sixty-two representative business men of the country for the stoppage of American overseas commerce because of the European war.

The proposal was made in definite form after a conference, presided over by Secretary McAdoo of the treasury department, who called the meeting. Practically all of the largest banking and shipping interests in the United States were represented.

The conference appointed a committee of twelve, headed by Seth Low, president of the National Civic Federation to remain in Washington

and advise with the governmental departments and committees of congress during the framing of legislation believed necessary to relieve conditions produced by the war abroad.

The committee began drafting a bill, to be presented to congress immediately and pressed for passage, with a view to having a government insurance bureau in operation as soon as possible after the pending measure modifying restrictions upon American registration of foreign built ships goes into effect.

In a statement issued by Secretary McAdoo he declared it to have been the consensus of opinion at the conference that, with "enlarged registry of American ships and action by the government supplementing what private companies might do in connection with insurance, the question of exports and of foreign exchange would rapidly solve themselves."

Many speakers, including J. P. Morgan, James J. Hill and other financiers, pointed out that Great Britain, France and Belgium already had provided for government war insurance of their merchant shipping. Against this action they declared the United States would be helpless, as no ships would pass under the American flag with the passage of the proposed registry law unless their owners were assured of insurance under the Stars and Stripes. The result would be a foreign monopoly of sea transportation, they predicted, and the fixing abroad of a price at which American wheat and cotton would be sold.



Photo by American Press Association.

QUEEN WILHELMINA  
Holland's Ruler Mobilizes Army to Resist a German Invasion.

# SMOOTH JOB BY THIEVES

Paymaster, Physician and Deputy Sheriff Lose Their Lives.

## SCENE IN WEST VIRGINIA WILDS

Murderers Escape With \$10,000 in Cash, the Monthly Wage of a Coal Company's Employees — Traveling Men Find the Three Dead Bodies, but No Trace of the Bandits—Details of a Daring Holdup.

Bluefield, W. Va., Aug. 15.—Ambushed where a winding, lonely stretch of track breaks the impenetrable fastness of the Blue Ridge mountains and in the solemn of great timber tracts, three men, a paymaster, a deputy sheriff and a physician, were held up by bandits, shot to death and then robbed of a \$10,000 coal mine monthly payroll. The holdup took place near Glen Alum, seventy-five miles west of here.

The dead: F. E. Johnson, paymaster Glen Alum Fuel company; Joseph Shaler, deputy sheriff; Dr. W. G. Amick, company physician.

The highwaymen made a clean getaway. Probably an hour after the robbery traveling men, footing it toward the Glen Alum railway station, found the three dead bodies and no trace of the bandits.

As is the custom, owing to the desolation of the country, the Glen Alum Fuel company received \$10,500 in bills of small denominations from a national bank in Cincinnati by train, and immediately after Paymaster Johnson, Deputy Sheriff Shaler and Dr. Amick boarded a railroad motor and started for the company mines, three and a half miles up the hollow.

The holdup occurred at a point half way between. As the motor, by which the same trip was made by the same men many times before, can in a pinch do fifty miles an hour, there is wide speculation on how the robbery occurred. Either something went wrong with the motor or the track ahead was blocked.

## Greatest Song Writers.

The immortal quartet of song writers are Goethe, Heine, Burns and Beranger. Of the four Burns is by far the most popular. Goethe was at heart an "Olympian" and in all things a pessimist and cynic; Beranger, while much more human, was a little too critical, while Burns, democratic to the core and of immense sympathy, threw himself into the common human life of the world with a whole heart and wrote the songs that will live and be loved while humanity endures.—New York American.

Weight of a Gallon of Milk.  
"What is the standard weight for sweet milk?"

A quart of milk weighs 2.153 pounds and a gallon 8.612 pounds, or a quart 2.15 pounds and a gallon 8.6 pounds. It is understood that the temperature of the milk and the relative proportions of the butter fat and solids not butter fat cause the weight of milk to vary, but the weights stated above are those generally used.—Progressive Farmer.

## Different Ideas.

"I'm paying all my debts. I believe the end of the world will come next month."  
"I don't understand your logic. If I thought the end of the world was coming next month I'd order a lot of stuff on credit now."—Pittsburgh Post.

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# BIG CANAL IS OPENED

Informal Opening Takes Place Without Ceremony.

Washington, Aug. 15.—With the initial trip of the Panama railroad steamship Cristobal through the Panama canal from Atlantic to Pacific today the isthmian waterway was opened to the commerce of the world.

For the present vessels requiring more than thirty feet of water through the channel will not be able to make the passage, but it is expected that the channel will be deepened by the time any vessels of more than thirty feet draft are ready to pass through. The informal opening today took place almost without ceremony.

The formal and official opening will take place next March, when there is to be an international celebration, at which President Wilson and the members of his cabinet are to be present. It is understood there are a number of steamship lines ready to send their vessels through the canal at once.

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## Political Announcements

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# EDWARDS FACES WIFE'S CHARGE

New York, Aug. 15.—John H. Edwards, first assistant secretary of the treasury under President Roosevelt, was arrested in his room in the Park Avenue hotel and arraigned before United States Commissioner Houghton on a warrant charging him with nonsupport and desertion of his wife and three young children in Washington. On the advice of his lawyer he waived examination and was taken back to Washington for trial. When arrested Edwards refused to tell what he was doing for a livelihood. He said he was separated from his wife and hadn't money enough to support her.

## TO ORGANIZE THE NEW COMMITTEE

Columbus, Aug. 15.—Call was issued for the new Republican state central committee to meet next Wednesday at the Neil House. The committee will organize and is expected to appoint a state executive committee at this meeting. It is said either Chairman W. L. Parmenter of Lima will be re-elected as the head of the central committee or the chairmanship will be given to Sherman M. Granger of Zanesville.

## JEWELER ROBBED

Urbana, O., Aug. 15.—The jewelry store of A. J. Conn was robbed of \$1,000 worth of watches and rings. The plate glass front was smashed with a brick. The contents of the window were grabbed up and the thief escaped.

## POULTRY SHIPPERS

Marion, O., Aug. 15.—The executive committee of the Ohio Butter, Egg and Poultry Producers' and Shippers' association, in session here, decided to hold the state convention in Columbus Oct. 1.

# TOD FREED

Columbus, Aug. 15.—David Tod of Youngstown, defeated for the Republican nomination for governor, was acquitted in police court of charge brought by County Auditor Fred M. Sayre that he had given an untrue statement to the newspapers. The verdict came after the jury had debated for a little over two hours. Mr. Tod made no comment for publication. The case was brought by Mr. Sayre under the state's new law making it a misdemeanor to furnish untrue or false statements to newspapers, and followed the publication of a statement from Mr. Tod declaring that Mr. Sayre and local politicians had attempted to obtain a \$5,000 donation for use in the Franklin county campaign.

## FAMILY PAID

Columbus, Aug. 15.—While chasing two thieves who had stolen pig iron from the plant where he was employed as watchman, James Fair of Youngstown fell dead, presumably from exhaustion or apoplexy. The widow and nine children have been granted \$3,678.48 by the state industrial commission out of the workmen's compensation fund.

## AUTO AND TROLLEY CAR IN COLLISION

Dayton, Aug. 15.—Dr. W. C. Mendenhall of Trotwood is in a local hospital with a fractured skull, broken arm and leg, resulting from collision between his automobile and an interurban car.

## BOYCOTT DEALERS

Providence, R. I., Aug. 15.—The Providence Housewives' league, socially prominent, plans to boycott all dealers forcing high prices for food-stuffs.

## The Worm Turned.

"Is any one waiting on you?" finally asked the haughty saleslady, condescending at last to notice the shopping person.

"I'm afraid not," replied the latter. "My husband was—I left him outside—but I'm afraid he's become disgusted and gone home."—Toledo Blade.

## Woman, Lovely Woman.

Every time a new young man calls the girl who wouldn't know a waffle griddle from a nutmeg grater gets terribly domestic in the trend of her conversation.—Florida Times-Union.

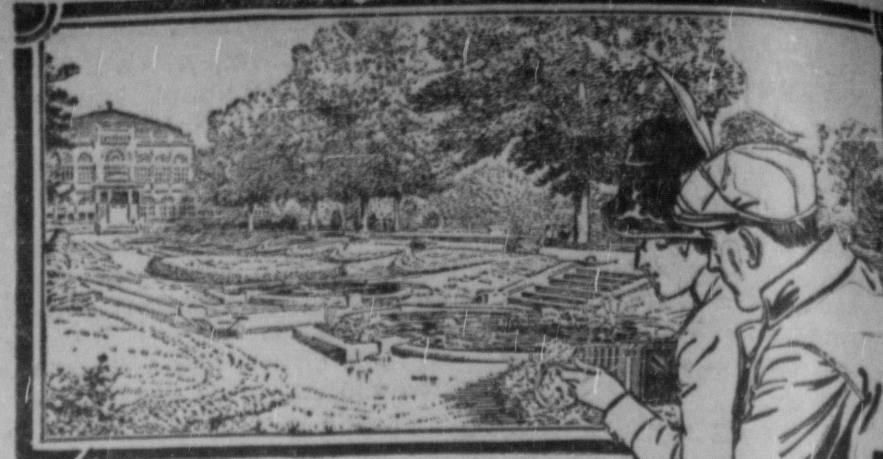
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The largest single prize offered for a scientific discovery is still going begging. The prize has been open to competition for many years. At first sight the problem for a solution of which the prize is offered looks no more difficult than those with which high school students are familiar, but many of the greatest mathematicians in the world have tried to solve the problem and given it up in despair.

It is known as Fermat's problem. Nearly 300 years ago Fermat, one of the greatest mathematicians who ever lived, stated that the equation  $x^n + y^n = z^n$  could not be satisfied by whole numbers when  $n$  is an odd prime number different from unity. The problem may be stated in another way—viz. that  $x^n + y^n = z^n$  cannot be satisfied when  $n$  is any integer greater than 2. The one follows as a logical conclusion from the other.

The Academy of Sciences of Göttingen, Germany, offers a prize of 100,000 marks (about \$25,000) for proof of this assertion. This is the prize that is going begging.

Dr. Joseph Bowden, professor of mathematics, Adelphi college, Brooklyn, asked by the Scientific American to state the precise conditions for winning the prize, writes that the Academy of Sciences will not consider any manuscripts sent in, but only proposed solutions printed and offered for sale as monographs, in books on mathematics or in mathematical periodicals. The award will not be made until two years after the publication of the memoir in order that mathematicians may have ample opportunity to test and criticize the solution.

The object of these restrictions is to save the academy from being flooded with undigested manuscripts. It will only consider solutions that have stood the test of some competent editor or publisher in the first place.

## Imposition.

"I don't see why lawyers should get imposed on so much," said Farmer Cornsossel.  
"Imposed on?"  
"Yes. Every time one gets a government office he says he is compelled to give up a lucrative practice."—Washington Star.

## Cocoa Bean Currency.

When Mexico was discovered by the Spaniards, in 1519 cocoa beans were used for currency. The Spaniards found two and a half millions pounds of beans in the national treasury.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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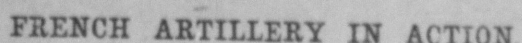
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## NEW COMMITTEEMEN MEET THIS MORNING

Seventeen members of the newly elected Democratic County Central committee, met this morning at the law office of Post & Reid and elected Edwin Weaver chairman, and S. A. Murray secretary. Nine men were also named as an executive committee and later the nine so chosen elected J. D. Post chairman and H. C. Ireland secretary.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Harvey C. Riley, 23, farmer, of Williamsport, and Agnes I. Baldwin, 22, teacher, of Madison township.

## SUGAR WAVERS

The wholesale price of sugar has stopped at \$8.15 per hundred weight the same price as quoted Friday.

## Markets

### Close of Markets Today

By Associated Press.

#### LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, August 15.—Hogs—Receipts 7000; market lower; light Yorkers \$9.40; heavy Yorkers \$8.55@9.35; pigs \$7@8.70.

Cattle—Receipts 200; market steady; heaves \$7.25@10.50; Texas steers \$6.40@9.30; stockers & feeders \$5.50@8.10; cows and heifers \$3.75@9.30; calves \$8.50@11.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 2000; market steady; sheep, natives \$5.30@6.15; lambs, natives \$6.60@9.65.

Pittsburg, August 15.—Hogs—Receipts 4500; market low; other grades \$9.65.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1000; market steady; top sheep \$6.25; top lambs \$8.60.

Calves—Receipts 100; lower; top \$11.50.

#### GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, August 15.—Wheat—Sept \$8.44; Dec. 94¢; May \$1.01½. Corn—Sept. 76¢; Dec. 67¢. Oats—Sept. 41¢; Dec. 44¢. Pork—Sept. \$22. Lard—Sept. \$9.52; Oct. \$9.67.

#### THE LOCAL MARKET.

Corrected Daily at Noon.

Wheat ..... 82c  
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Big Oats ..... 37c  
New Oats ..... 37c  
Hay No. 1, timothy ..... \$18.00  
Hay No. 2, timothy ..... \$16.50  
Hay No. 1 clover ..... \$18.00  
Hay No. 1, mixed ..... \$17.00  
Straw, dry per ton ..... \$4.25  
Staw, damp, per ton ..... \$4.00

#### Prices Paid for Produce.

Chickens, young per lb. .... 18c  
Chickens, old per lb. .... 12c  
Eggs, per dozen ..... 20c  
Butter ..... 20c  
New Potatoes, setting price ..... \$1.20  
Lard, per pound ..... 11c

### Close of Markets Yesterday

(By American Press.)

#### CHICAGO.

Cattle—Receipts, 75; 25@30; steers, \$6.40@9.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.50@8.10; cows and heifers, \$3.75@9.30; calves, \$8.50@11.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 10; 10@12; mixed, \$8.50@9.50; rough, \$8.50@9.50; pigs, \$7.00@8.70.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 15; yearlings, \$6.00@7.00; lambs, \$6.00@8.00.

Receipts—Cattle, 1,500; hogs, 2,000; sheep and lambs, 1,200.

#### EAST BUFFALO.

Cattle—Prime steers, \$9.50@10; shipping, \$8.75@9.50; butchers, \$7.75@8.50; heifers, \$7.00@8.00; cows, \$6.25@7.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.25@6.50; calves, \$5.00@6.25.

Hogs—Heavy and mixed, \$9.70; Yorkers, \$9.00@9.70; pigs, \$8.00@9.00; rough, \$8.00@9.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Yearlings, \$5.00@6.00; wethers, \$6.25@7.50; ewes, \$5.00@6.00; mixed sheep, \$5.00@6.00; lambs, \$6.00@7.00.

Receipts—Cattle, 900; hogs, 1,000; sheep and lambs, 800.

#### CLEVELAND.

Cattle—Choice fat steers, \$8.25@9.00; butcher steers, \$7.00@8.00; butchers' bulls, \$6.25@7.50; heifers, \$6.00@7.00; cows, \$5.25@6.50; milchens and springers, \$4.75@5.75; calves, \$5.00@6.25.

Hogs—Heavy and mixed, \$9.70; Yorkers, \$9.00@9.70; pigs, \$8.00@9.00; rough, \$8.00@9.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Wethers, \$5.00@6.00; ewes, \$6.25@7.50; mixed sheep, \$5.00@6.00; lambs, \$6.00@7.00.

Receipts—Cattle, 100; hogs, 2,500; sheep and lambs, 1,500.

#### CINCINNATI.

Cattle—Steers, \$5.00@6.00; cows, \$4.00@5.00; heifers, \$4.00@5.00; calves, \$5.00@6.00.

Hogs—Packers and butchers, \$9.00@10.00; common to choice, \$8.00@9.00; pigs and lights, \$6.00@7.00; stage, \$5.00@6.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$2.50@3.50; lambs, \$3.50@4.50.

#### BOSTON.

Wool—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces: Delaine washed, 32¢; XX, 28¢@31¢; half blood combed, 26¢; three-eighths blood combed, 24¢@28¢.

#### TOLEDO, AUG. 15.

Wheat, 95¢; corn, 87¢; oats, 43¢; clover seed, 11¢ 50¢.



Photo by American Press Association.

## Veteran Fighting Men of Serbia

The Serbian army is largely composed of veterans who know what war is. They have recently been through two wars, one against Turkey and another against Bulgaria. Army experts consider them to be excellent fighters.

## BULLETINS

By Associated Press.

London, Aug. 15.—A dispatch from Brussels to the Exchange Telegraph Company says the death of General Von Emmich, the German commander at Liege, is confirmed. He is to be succeeded by General Von Derrwitz.

Alexandria, Egypt—via London, Aug. 15.—The big new Austrian Lloyd liner, Marienbad, was captured today by a British warship near here, while on the voyage from Bombay to Trieste. She was brought into port.

Rome, via London, August 15.—The American Ambassador Thos. Nelson Page announced that the American government is sending to Europe transports capable of taking home 8,000 Americans. There are 6,000 in Italy and probably 11,000 in Switzerland.

Vancouver, B. C., August 15.—The British sloop of war, Algerine, which had an exciting trip on the California coast, dodging the German cruiser Leipzig, is now safe in Esquimalt harbor.

London, August 15.—There are indications of an international movement of the German troops to envelop the extreme left of the allied forces in Belgium according to a statement issued by the official press bureau here this afternoon.

Brussels, August 15.—The Belgian minister of war today officially denied the rumor that the Germans had occupied the fortified town of Diest to the northeast of Louvain.

## FEDERALS QUIT CAPITAL CITY

By Associated Press.

Mexico City, August 15.—When General Jose R. Velasco, the Federal commander, leaves Mexico City this afternoon with his staff, the evacuation of the Federals, which has been

## GENERAL JOHN FRENCH

English Commander Joins Forces of the French General Joffre.



going on for several days, will be complete.

Mexico City today is awaiting the coming of the Constitutionalists under General Obregon. The last suburbs of the capital already are occupied by the invaders. The program of occupation calls for the assumption of the Presidency by General Carranza immediately after he enters the city.

## NATION FACING MEAT FAMINE

Economic experts of the Federal government are giving the high cost of living problem thoughtful consideration and are investigating the high prices of meat. The Department of Agriculture has just completed a census of the meat-producing animals of the United States and finds that there has been a decrease of 4,183,000 head and an increase of \$176,530,000 in value during the past year. On January 1, 1914, the herd numbered 144,507,000, compared with 148,690,000 head a year ago.

The bulk of the nation's decreased meat supply is in the swine herd. Compared with last year the number of hogs in the United States has diminished 2,185,000 head; cattle 175,000 head and sheep 1,763,000 head. The major portion of the increased values is credited to the beef animals. The value of all cattle, excluding milk cows, when compared with last year, shows an increase of \$166,688,000; swine have gained \$9,842,000 in value, while sheep have depreciated \$1,476,000.

## MONSTER FREIGHT ENGINE OFF RAILS

One of the big freight engines on the B. & O. railroad left the rails while entering the D. T. & I. transfer on Paint street Saturday morning, and it required more than one hour before the engine could leave the transfer.

Owing to the sharp curve in the track, and the length of the big engines, it is not an infrequent occurrence for the engines to leave the track while entering or leaving the transfer.

## VOGEL'S MINSTRELS PLEASE AUDIENCE

Vogel's minstrels played to a full house at the Empire theater Friday night.

They had a bunch of good singers and put on a clean, clever show, with which the large audience was thoroughly pleased.

These minstrels are always popular, but this year's show was much better than that of last year.

## IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Mrs. Henry Rader, of Paint township, who underwent a serious operation Thursday, is still very low, and is regaining strength slowly.

Physicians extend hope for her ultimate recovery.

## REDUCES RECORD

McKinney A. C., owned by C. E. Mark, was a winner at the Leesburg fair Friday, reducing his trotting record to 2:24½.

## WESLEY CHAPEL MITE SOCIETY.

Please notice the change. The meeting will be postponed next week until Wednesday, August 26th.

Want ads are sure winners.

## PRECIOUS FEW MADE ESCAPE

By Associated Press.

Brussels—via Paris, Aug. 15.—According to the latest advices in the Belgian capital barely 500 German soldiers escaped unhurt out of the four or five thousand engaged in the battle of Haelen. Many of the field guns of the German artillery were lost in the swamps.

The soldiers who remained of the German attacking column retired to Tongres. A special train has been sent out from Brussels to collect the wounded in the battle field. Among them are reported to be two German princes.

A Joke of Mark Twain's.

The theatrical godfather of William Gillette was Mark Twain, who was a fellow townsman and a friend of his father. Mark Twain in referring to the matter said that when he used his influence to get young Gillette on the stage he thought he was playing a great joke on the management, for he did not think Gillette had the slightest aptitude for acting. But it turned out to be no joke after all. "I don't know," said Mark Twain, "which I like better—having Gillette make a tremendous success or seeing one of my jokes go wrong."

## GENERAL PUTNIK, WAR MINISTER OF SERBIA, DIRECTS ARMY'S MOVES.

One of the chief factors in directing the Serbian army in the war with Austria is General Putnik, minister of war of Serbia. He is one of the leading military authorities of that country, and he is serving in person in the field.



GENERAL PUTNIK

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Among those who assisted in the compilation were Prof. C. B. Galbreath, secretary Fourth Constitutional Convention and former State Librarian; E. Frank Brown, fiscal supervisor, State Board of Administration; Miss Lucy J. Price, editor and lecturer; Judge R. M. Dittet, tax expert and former chairman Tax Commission of Ohio; Karl K. Shimansky, newspaper writer.

And what a lot of good stuff this staff did get into the 300 pages of our 1914 Ohio Almanac. The 100,000 facts in the Handbook include these important subjects:

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## Russia Promises Poland, Wilson Opposed to Loan

In Exchange for Loyalty Poland is Offered  
Autonomy and Freedom in Religion and  
Language—Wilson Objects to Proposed  
Loans to Belligerent Countries.

### GERMAN CHANCELLOR UNMASKS INTENTIONS OF THE ENGLISH

Declares British Have Waited for Oppor-  
tunity to Destroy Commercially Pros-  
perous Germany—Gen. Von Emmich  
Suicides at Liege.

### 400,000 AUSTRIANS FINALLY SUCCEED IN FORCING ENTRANCE INTO SERBIA

Great Army at Last Crushes the Serb  
Defense After Fierce Bombardment and  
Fighting.—Russians Devastate Eastern  
Prussia.

### AT THE FRONT

By Associated Press.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 15.—The Rus-  
sian government promises Poland  
freedom in the matter of religion and  
language and autonomy if the Poles  
are loyal in the present struggle with  
Germany and Austria-Hungary.

Paris, Aug. 15.—An official an-  
nouncement today says the Belgian  
major in command of the forts at  
Liege contradicts the rumors that  
they had surrendered. The battle is  
declared to be still going on.

London, Aug. 15.—A dispatch from  
Namur, Belgium, to the Times says a  
German aeroplane flew over that city  
last night and dropped bombs. Five  
men were wounded, one of them be-  
ing mangled, by the explosion of the  
missiles.

Paris, Aug. 15.—The Brussels cor-  
respondent of the Haves Agency tel-  
egraphed that a company of Belgian  
infantry ambushed two companies of  
German cyclists near Vessenach yester-  
day. The Germans fled leaving  
fifty dead.

London, Aug. 15.—The British of-  
ficial press bureau in its communica-  
tion today says: "The German of-  
fensive is for the moment arrested  
in upper Alsace and there are indica-  
tions that the French have made  
progress on that side."

By Associated Press.

London, Aug. 15.—A wireless dis-  
patch from Berlin dated Friday gives

an interview with Dr. Von Beth-  
mann-Hollweg, German Imperial  
Chancellor, who, representing the  
war as a life and death struggle be-  
tween Germans and French, arising  
out of the assassination of Archduke  
Francis Ferdinand and wife, declared  
England avails herself of the oppor-  
tunity, long waited, to begin war for  
the destruction of commercially pros-  
perous Germany.

Washington, August 15.—Presi-  
dent Wilson today formally disap-  
proved of the plan of American bank-  
ers floating loans in the United States  
for the benefit of belligerent coun-  
tries of Europe, but expressed no ob-  
jections to loans made to neutral  
countries.

London, August 15.—A dispatch  
from Nish, Serbia, says that after an  
incessant bombardment along the en-  
tire frontier line of the rivers, Save  
and Danube, the Austrians have suc-  
ceeded in forcing an entry into Sabac  
on the Save, 37 miles west of Bel-  
grade—and into Losmitza on the river  
Drina. Four hundred thousand  
Austrians attacked the Serbians, ac-  
cording to official dispatches, and af-  
ter fierce fighting were repulsed, but  
finally succeeded in crossing the Save.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 15.—The Rus-  
sian general staff today announced  
that Russian troops have destroyed  
local railroad and telegraph lines in  
the province of East Prussia at 11  
points between Schmalleningken on  
the Russian frontier and Pilsit. Ger-  
man troops also have damaged some  
of the frontier roads.

other government officials. The con-  
ference was unanimously of the op-  
inion that the pressing questions to be  
solved were: Restoration of the mar-  
ket for foreign exchange bills; imme-  
diate provision for means of trans-  
porting American grain, cotton and  
other merchandise abroad and war  
risk insurance.

### WAR EXCITEMENT IN AUSTRIAN CAPITAL



On Wednesday the Twelfth Ger-  
man Uhlands and the Ninth German  
Rifle regiment, accompanied by ar-  
tillery, were discovered on the fron-  
tier in the neighborhood of Kalisz by  
the Russian troops. The Germans  
avoided coming into contact, retir-  
ing to the northwest.

New York, August 15.—The Ham-  
burg-American line issued a state-  
ment this afternoon saying it had un-  
der consideration offers to purchase  
some of its steamships in American  
waters, valued at \$20,000,000. The  
proposal embraces the great steamer,  
Vaterland, largest in the world. If  
sold the vessels would fly the Ameri-  
can flag and would be the first ac-  
quisition to the proposed American  
merchant marine.

### WILSON BOLDLY ASKS NEUTRALITY

By Associated Press.

Washington, August 15.—A gen-  
eral effort is being made by the Uni-  
ted States to have the powers of Eu-  
rope observe the neutrality of all pas-  
senger vessels, whether belonging to  
belligerent countries or not, which  
are engaged in the transportation of  
home coming Americans.

### ARREST DENIED

By Associated Press.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Archer M.  
Huntington, of New York, president  
of the American Geographical Soci-  
ety, and his family were not arrested  
but have been enjoying the fullest  
liberty at Nuremberg, Germany, ac-  
cording to a message to the State De-  
partment today from the German  
foreign office.

## OHIO IS SLATED

Food Price Probe by Federal Govern-  
ment is Urged by U. S. District At-  
torney Denman—Asks For Special  
Agents—Will Co-operate With Pro-  
secutors.

By Associated Press.

Toledo, August 15.—United States  
District Attorney Hugh G. Denman  
notified the Department of Justice at  
Washington today that as a result of  
superficial investigation of high  
prices in Ohio cities, a thorough fed-  
eral probe is warranted. He asked  
the government to send special agents  
to the district and announced that he  
will co-operate with county prosecut-  
ing attorneys.

Washington, August 15.—Reports  
to the Department of Justice today  
show that the investigation into food  
prices is progressing in every state  
and at every large city. The  
United States Attorney at San Fran-  
cisco telegraphed that the investiga-  
tion already had presented an in-  
crease in shipping rates to foreign  
ports on canned goods. From Kansas  
City came a report that there was no  
beet sugar on the market. The De-  
partment of Justice is gathering com-  
parisons of food prices on July 1,  
1913, and July 1, 1914, the prices  
before the first declaration of war in  
Europe, and the present prices in this  
country.

### OFFICERS AND MEN OF THE RUSSIAN ARTILLERY



## NINE STEAMERS MAKING RUSH ACROSS OCEAN

By Associated Press.

New York, August 15.—Nine  
steamships sailed from New York to-  
day for ports in Europe carrying pas-  
sengers and mails as a result of the  
official notice from British Admir-  
alty that the Atlantic Ocean steam-  
ship lanes are clear of German cruis-  
ers. The French liner, Rochambeau,  
will sail today with 250 cabin and  
1,200 third class passengers, many of  
whom are French reservists paying  
their own way.

## TOURISTS LEAVING GERMANY

State Department Advised by Cable  
That German Government is Now  
Permitting Americans to Leave the  
Country—4500 Sail From England  
Today.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Americans  
may now leave Germany as rapidly  
as train service is restored, Amba-  
sador Gerrard, at Berlin, reported to  
the State Department by way of Cop-  
enhagen today, by cable.

Ambassador Gerrard's cable was  
brief, giving details and confined to  
the announcement that Americans  
might leave as fast as train service  
was restored. Officials assumed that  
it signaled the completion of the  
mobilization of the German army.

Germany will permit the cruiser,  
Tennessee, bearing gold for Ameri-  
cans, to enter Bremen and will pro-  
vide trains to bring Americans from  
the baths and resorts in the south to  
that port. This government was so  
advised today.

London, August 15.—Seven hun-  
dred Americans from Berlin have ar-  
rived in Rotterdam according to a  
report received here.

Liverpool, Aug. 15.—The sailing  
from this port today of the St. Louis,  
the Campania and the Minnewaska,  
for New York and the Megantic for  
Montreal reduced the number of  
Americans who had been stranded in  
England by 4,500. The American  
Line steamer St. Paul, from New  
York, arrived here yesterday.

## MINERS STRIKE

By Associated Press.

Charleston, W. Va., August 15.—  
Twelve hundred miners at Bloomer,  
in the Paint creek district, struck to-  
day because one of their number had

## ANCON OPENS CANAL

By Associated Press.

Panama, Aug. 15.—The United  
States War Department steamship  
Ancon, passed through the Gatun  
locks without a hitch today in 70  
minutes. The total lift at these  
locks is 85 feet.

Panama, August 15.—The United  
States War Department steamship,  
Ancon, today made a passage through  
the Panama canal and transit through  
the water way is now officially open  
to the traffic of the world.

The Ancon left her berth at Chris-  
tobal at 7 o'clock this morning and  
made her way to the end of the deep  
water channel from the Atlantic to  
the Gatun locks. She went through  
these locks, which have a list of 85  
feet, in 70 minutes. She continued  
through the waterway from deep wa-  
ter on the Atlantic to deep water on  
the Pacific side without incident.

She is due at the Pacific side at 6  
o'clock this evening. Leaving Chris-  
tobal the Ancon passed several ves-  
sels at anchor in the harbor wait-  
ing to follow her and thus make the first  
commercial use of the waterway.

been discharged. Fred Littleton and  
R. L. Sprouse, said to be non-union  
miners, were assaulted at the mine  
of the Columbia Iron and Steel com-  
pany late yesterday, the 150 miners  
at that point having struck. The  
men were taken to a hospital.

## WAR CRAMPS THE VATICAN

By Associated Press.

Rome, August 15.—The effect of  
the war is felt on the finances of the  
Vatican, the resources of which are  
deposited in the banks of Italy and  
abroad, whence it is difficult to with-  
draw them. Furthermore remit-  
tances are few, the payment of Pet-  
er's Pence being almost suspended.

## NEW JAIL WANTED

The village of Bainbridge is plan-  
ning to build a new jail and mayor's  
office, providing the necessary funds  
may be obtained. The village has an  
old jail which is in very bad condi-  
tion, and several of the citizens were  
in this city conferring with Prosecut-  
ing Attorney Boulger regarding the  
procedure in getting the funds.—  
Chillicothe Gazette.

## BANDITS KILL TWO PURSUERS

By Associated Press.

Williamson, W. Va., August 15.—  
Edward Mounts and Sanford Hat-  
field, members of a posse chasing the  
bandits who yesterday robbed a pay-  
master and killed three men at Alum  
Cliff, W. Va., were killed today in a  
fight with the robbers at Gilbert  
Creek. One of the band was wound-  
ed.

The posse, of which Mounts and  
Hatfield were members, had followed  
the gang through the mountains all  
night and came up with them this  
morning. The bandits opened fire  
with deadly effect and the posse re-  
plied. One bandit was wounded but  
his comrades assisted him to escape.  
Large forces have been searching the  
mountains for the gang since the  
robbery at Glean Alum.

## AMERICAN INTERESTS JEOPARDIZED BY WAR

By Associated Press.

Washington, August 15.—Active  
steps to relieve conditions due to the  
European war affecting the commerce  
and credit of the United States were  
being taken today as a result of pro-  
posals made at a conference here be-  
tween prominent business men, Presi-  
dent Wilson, Secretary McAdoo and







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## Poetry For Today

### OUR COUNTY FAIR.

Sylvester Smythe, a city kid,  
Boards at our farm this year,  
And I am sure 'twould make you grin  
If you could only hear  
Him brag about the city sights,  
The Hippodrome and zoo;  
But when he pile sit on too thick  
I do some bragging, too.

I asked him if his hippodrome  
Or zoo has ever shown  
A pair of well-matched Devon steers  
That draw two tons of stone;  
And when he says it can't be done,  
I cross my heart and swear  
Sile Jones' steers do just that stunt  
Out at our county fair.

I ask him if the museums  
He praises up skyhigh,  
Show pumpkins big as wagon wheels,  
And every kind of pie;  
Or patchwork quilts made by hand,  
Of tiny blocks cut square;  
We've shown these things for twenty  
years  
Out at our county fair.

I s'pose he has seen lots of things,  
But so have I, 'gosh!  
And country pumpkins' just as good  
As any city squash.  
He never praises anything  
Out here—except the air;  
But you just watch! he'll change his  
tune  
Out at our county fair.  
—Floy Shoonmaker Armstrong in  
National Magazine.

## Weather Report

Washington, August 15.—Ohio, Illinois, lower Michigan, Indiana and West Virginia—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday.

Tennessee—Partly cloudy Saturday; local showers at night on Sunday.

Kentucky—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday.

### WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 7 p. m. Friday:

	Temp.	Weather.
Boston	70	Clear
New York	75	Clear
Washington	78	Clear
Buffalo	70	Clear
Columbus	77	Cloudy
Chicago	72	Clear
St. Louis	78	Cloudy
St. Paul	72	Clear
Los Angeles	74	Clear
New Orleans	84	Cloudy
Tampa	82	Clear
Seattle	72	Clear

Weather Forecast.  
Washington, Aug. 15.—Indications for tomorrow:  
Ohio—Generally fair.

### SOLONS AND SALARIES.

Some European States Pay Their Lawmakers Only a Mite.

Italy and Spain are the only European countries which offer no monetary reward to their members of parliament. The Portuguese legislators are not remunerated by the state, but they have a free pass for traveling on all railways in the country, and their constituencies are permitted to pay a sum equivalent to 15 shillings for each day's sitting.

Denmark is another country which believes that its political gentlemen are ready to work for almost nothing. Members of parliament there only receive 6 shillings per day, but they have the peculiar privilege of a free seat in the Royal theater in Copenhagen.

The Norwegian honorable member is thankful for a daily income of 12 shillings, though he must do his duty properly to get it. He loses a day's pay when he takes a day off. Members of the Swiss diet work under the same threat. If they are absent they lose salary which amounts in their case to 16 shillings per day.

Roumania pays her lawmakers a sovereign per day, and Bulgaria offers 16 shillings. In the latter country members living in the capital have 4 shillings deducted because they have no train fares to pay and only one home to keep up.

Hungary treats her statesmen just half as well as England does, allowing them £200 per annum. They have, however, a liberal allowance for house rent and can travel first class with second class tickets.—London Tit-Bits.

Buying Stocks.  
Willis—There are two ways of buying stocks. One is to buy outright. Gillis—Yes; the other is to buy in wrong. Puck

## BICYCLES

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KING PETER AND CROWN PRINCE ALEXANDER

## ATE AND WAS SAD

Yet It Was a Dish For Which He Had Yearned For Years.

### A TRAGEDY IN GASTRONOMY.

Bouillabaisse as Sung by Thackeray and as Served in a Famous Marseilles Resort Proved Very Different Propositions to an English Epicure.

We all know that famous poem of Thackeray's which begins,  
A street there is in Paris famous  
For which no time our language yields,  
and goes on to tell of the tavern where the genial Titmarsh in the days when he was a Paris correspondent "ate and drank the bouillabaisse."

As a result of that delightful poem tens of thousands of Englishmen have yearned to eat bouillabaisse. Thackeray puts it so beautifully! The steaming dish of steved fish that he conjures up in his lines—how appetizing it seems! I know that it was quite early in my teens when I first read that poem, and from that moment there was formed in my mind a firm resolve to eat some day of bouillabaisse.

My opportunity came not long ago when I visited Marseilles. It was nearly half past 9 when I sat down in the dining room of the hotel.

"There is no bouillabaisse on the menu," I said severely to the maitre d'hotel. "I have come to Marseilles specially to eat it." He replied that it was not a specialty of the house, but that it could always be prepared. How long would it take? Twenty-five minutes, perhaps a little longer. "But I think monsieur would find it rather heavy at such a late hour."

He was not encouraging, this maitre d'hotel. I did not accept for a moment his suggestion that bouillabaisse was too heavy a dish for half past 9 at night. Thackeray had not talked about heaviness. But twenty-five minutes! I ordered an omelet.

At midnight, walking down the famous Cannebiere, back to the hotel, I was hailed by a familiar voice. It was that of a friend whom I had not seen for a long time. Gratefully I grasped his hand and told him that I intended to eat bouillabaisse as soon as possible. And my respect for him was considerably enhanced when he told me that he had eaten some that very afternoon, an hour after his arrival in Marseilles. Here was the true spirit, and I related to him, with some bitterness, my experience with the maitre d'hotel. "Well, it is rather heavy stuff," he said. But I brushed this aside, and we arranged to meet at lunch on the morrow, when I should have the best that Marseilles could give me.

There are, as everybody knows, two places at Marseilles for bouillabaisse—Pascal's and Basso's, on the Vieux Port. We decided on Basso's.

"Bouillabaisse," I said leonically. I paid no attention to what my friend ordered. No other dish interested me. But in a minute or so a curious looking mess was set down before him.

"What's that stuff you're going to eat?" I asked.

"That's bouillabaisse," he said, "but it's not mine." I started. This bouillabaisse, this curious looking stuff, with indigestible looking lumps of fish floating in a bilious and oily saffron liquid! I know

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not what I had expected bouillabaisse to be, but it certainly was not this. There was a piece of fish which I recognized as eel, and I loathe eels. The broad tail of another and unknown fish stuck up out of the opaque liquid. But it was the yellow liquid itself, which repelled. It shouted biliousness and the smell of saffron that arose with the steam made me feel ill. Oh, Thackeray!

I pecked at the eel—or it may have been a lamprey—explored the various other fish, tasted gingerly of the thick saffron liquid on one of the pieces of toast that floated in it. But mine was no palate for bouillabaisse. I made the waiter take the mess away and bring lamb cutlets.

But I had tasted of bouillabaisse and was not to forget it. All day long the terrible taste of saffron remained with me. Nothing would shift it; not Marseilles tea, nor many golden becks, nor dinner. In fact, the bouillabaisse of lunch spoiled the dinner. And at midnight, in a cafe on the Cannebiere, my friend confided a secret to me. "When we fell in with each other just twenty-four hours ago," he said, "I was suffering just as you are now. The horrible taste of saffron had remained obstinately with me ever since lunch and has not quite gone even yet. But you told me you had come to Marseilles to eat bouillabaisse, and I knew nothing I could say would dissuade you. But no doubt the bitterness of this moment will fade away, and as time passes you will tell your friends in England how excellent is the real bouillabaisse if only you have it in Marseilles."

"Never! I would die first!" I exclaimed firmly.—London Standard.

### Africa's Pygmy Antelope.

The pygmy antelope of the Gold Coast of Africa is the smallest of end chewing animals. It stands about ten inches high at the withers—that is, about as high as a fox terrier. The male has minute horns that run straight back in the line of the forehead. The pygmy antelope was described in 1705 by the Dutch traveler Bosman, who, in his "Description of Guinea," says that it is called the "king of the harts" by the natives. By English writers it is often called the "royal antelope."

Do one thing at a time and the big things first.—Lincoln.

### Levels of Atlantic and Pacific.

At certain stages of the tide the levels of the Atlantic and Pacific oceans at the isthmus of Panama differ materially. At low tide the difference between high and low water is not much more than twenty-three inches, while at Panama it is generally thirteen feet and at times as much as nineteen feet. The current that would be produced by this condition of things in a sea level canal would seriously interfere with navigation, but under the present arrangement of a locked canal the difficulty is obviated. The Suez canal presented no such difficulty, the difference in tide level at Port Said and Suez being of a trifling nature.—New York American.

### An Old Acquaintance.

A resourceful girl, having danced a plunk party frock to ribbons, took what was left of it and made a wonderful lamp shade. The next evening she was entertaining a caller in the soft light and she said to him quite casually: "How do you like my new lamp shade?"

William regarded it for a moment critically, then he said: "The last time I saw that shade I danced with it."—New York Post.

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## Pensions to Dependent Mothers Should Not Be Scrimped and Uncertain

By WILLIAM H. MATTHEWS of New York Association For Poor

COUNTRY wide agitation and the passage of laws by many states have shown the prevalent public interest in mothers' pensions. No one questions the great desirability of providing funds adequate to keep dependent mothers and children together who would otherwise be separated solely by poverty. Instead of placing children in institutions and finding a job for the mother every one now agrees that it is MUCH WISER TO PAY THE COST OF THE FAMILY SUPPORT so that a good mother may bring up her children.

THE QUESTION WHICH THE PUBLIC HAS TO DECIDE IS WHETHER SUCH MOTHERS SHALL BE PENSIONED THROUGH PRIVATE RELIEF ORGANIZATIONS OR BY THE STATE OR CITY OR COUNTY. IN ANY EVENT, THE PROCESS SHOULD BE ONE OF FINDING OUT CAREFULLY HOW MUCH IS NEEDED FOR PROPER SHELTER, FOOD AND CLOTHING, AND THEN OF SEEING TO IT THAT THIS AMOUNT IS PROVIDED. ANY HAPHAZARD RAISING OF MONEY AND TRYING TO MAKE THE AMOUNT SECURED GO ROUND MEANS USUALLY HEART BREAKING FAMILY STRUGGLES TO GET ALONG ON LESS THAN A DECENT STANDARD OF LIVING. IF PENSIONS ARE TO BE GIVEN TO DEPENDENT MOTHERS WITH CHILDREN THEY SHOULD NOT BE SCIMPED AND UNCERTAIN, BUT ADEQUATE AND REGULAR.



# ARMLESS DRIVER ADDING NEW LAURELS TO HIS LIST

Colby Turner, Often Referred to as "the Handless Handy Man," of New Burlington, Will be Among the Drivers at the Fair Next Week —Is Copping Many Ribbons This Season.

Colby Turner, armless but handier than many men more perfectly endowed, will be one of the drivers during the Fayette county fair next week and it goes without saying, one of its chief attractions. Turner is a young man about 30 years of age and despite the fact that both of his arms were severed just above the elbows in his youth he can eat, drive, play cards and do most anything that an ordinary man can do; in many cases with greater efficiency, because of the effort he has taken to train himself. He is coming to be recog-

nized as one of the best drivers in Ohio.

Turner is a "hale fellow, well met", and does not miss his extremities in the least. When driving he wraps the lines around his "stubs", holding them close against his breast, and has as sure a control over his animal as any driver with hands and lower arms.

While here Turner will drive his fast pacer, Denver Downs, in the 2:16 pace. Denver Downs came in a close second to Jesse J., the swift little mare belonging to W. J. Galvin, recently owned by George Weaver, who made such a showing in Xenia. Denver Downs made a figure of 2:14 1/4 in the matinees at Xenia a few weeks ago. Turner drove Minnie Burns to a second in the 2:14 pace at Leesburg this week and it is probable he will drive her again here.

## SMALL DECREASE IN 'SKEETER FAMILY

During the past three or four days the mosquito pest in the city has decreased somewhat, but countless numbers still remain to torture the human family.

Meanwhile the Board of Health is spreading oil on the troublesome waters of Paint creek, and citizens in general are untiring in the crusade to wipe the pest out of existence in the city.

The following article, from a bulleting issued by the College of Agriculture, sounds the keynote in the work of eradicating the insects:

"Since it is supposed that the common house mosquito does not travel far, much can be done to prevent the annoyance of these pests by doing away with their breeding places. Screening will exclude mosquitoes but the better practice is to avoid their development by looking after the drainage of small pools, and the disposition of tin cans or other articles that may retain sufficient water for them to breed in. If rain barrels, water tanks, cisterns and other reservoirs are necessary, these should be screened or covered in such a manner as to prevent the entrance of mosquitoes as these insects develop only in water. Pools or small bodies of water which cannot be otherwise controlled and which are too small for the keeping of fishes may be treated with a film of kerosene to prevent any mosquito breeding."

## PREPARING FOR REGIMENTAL CAMP

Active preparations for the annual camp of the Fourth regiment, Ohio infantry, are going forward, and one week from Monday the men will mobilize in this city, all of the companies arriving here not later than shortly after nine o'clock.

Special trains will be run on some of the roads so that there may be no delay in arrival of troops, and so regular passenger traffic will not be interfered with.

The regiment will be accompanied by the regimental band, which is an exceptionally good one.

Following are the towns furnishing troops to take part in the camp: Washington C. H., Chillicothe, Greenfield, Circleville, Lancaster, Newark, Marion, Marysville, Delaware and Columbus.

The men will receive camp pay during the week they are out.

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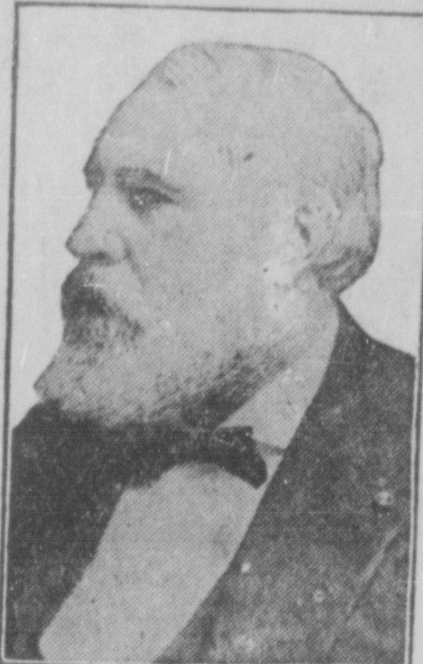
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## KEIFER IN GERMANY ON PEACE MISSION

Much uneasiness has resulted among the friends of Gen. J. Warren Keifer, of Springfield, over the safety of Mr. Keifer, who went to Germany first of the month to attend a peace conference at The Hague, having been elected delegate to the conference.

So far no word has been received from the old warrior and ex-congressman, and Secretary Bryan has been asked to locate Mr. Keifer.



GEN. J. WARREN KEIFER.  
Believed to be in the midst of European War—Went on Peace Mission.

## WORK ON FOUNDATION OF D. T. & I. DEPOT

Workmen are busy laying the foundation of the new D. T. & I. depot, while others are remodeling the old passenger station and converting it into a freight depot.

A few days will witness the completion of the new freight depot, and the beginning of the framework on the new passenger station.

Meanwhile the D. T. & I. offices are located in camp cars, and the waiting room is located in a camp car. Much inconvenience results to passengers but within a few weeks the new depot will be ready for use. The contract calls for completion of the depot by September 15.

### AT THE EMPIRE.

"A Little Christian", a pastoral comedy drama in four acts will be the initial offering of the Lanham players who open a week's engagement at the Empire Opera House next Monday night.

This company, having played a previous engagement here, needs no introduction to the patrons of the Empire.

This season the Messrs. Lanham bring to Washington a company of players composed of a cast of ten artists, two tons of new and special scenery and an entire new line of plays.

The usual ladies' free offering will prevail for the Monday night's performance. Get these ladies' free seats reserved before six o'clock Monday evening.

### VON MOLTKE, SIXTY-SIX.

SEVEN FEET TALL, HEADS GERMANY'S GREAT ARMY.  
Count von Moltke, commander in chief of the German army, was reported to have taken the field with Kaiser Wilhelm as soon as the resistance in Belgium proved that the German plan of invasion needed the best heads behind it. Von Moltke is a nephew of the famous field marshal who is dead. Count von Moltke is one of the tallest men in the German army. He stands nearly seven feet in his stockings. He is sixty-six years old. He has been chief of the general staff since 1904.



COUNT VON MOLTKE

## City Churches

### Grace M. E. Church.

Rev. F. E. Ross, Pastor.

Sunday school and preaching services will be held in High School Auditorium.

Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. C. E. Lloyd, superintendent.

Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Opportunities and Obligations."

No Epworth League services. Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Open-air union services to be held on Court House lawn. Everybody welcome.

### Presbyterian Church.

Wm. Boynton Gage, pastor.

Sabbath school at 9 a. m. M. E. Hitchcock, Supt.

10:30 a. m. Morning worship. The pastor preaching on "The Way to Victory." A message for the warring world, the first in a series of sermons on, "The Bible and Our Day"

A nursery for the care of babies and small children.

Senior Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. 7:30 p. m. Union Service, Court House lawn, the pastor preaching on, "Prophecy and the Present Crisis."

### First Baptist Church.

Rev. A. W. West, Pastor.

Bible school 9:30 a. m. J. Howard Hicks, superintendent.

Morning service 10:45. Sermon by pastor.

B. Y. P. U. 6:45 p. m. 7:30 p. m. Open air service court house lawn.

### St. Andrew's Mission.

Mr. J. Schaffer of Dayton, will conduct the regular services Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the Simpson annex building. The public is cordially invited to attend.

### Christian Science.

The Christian Science services will be held on the 2nd floor of Masonic Temple, Sunday morning at 10:45, and Wednesday evening at 7:30. Invitation kindly extended.

### East End Chapel.

Rev. P. J. Henness, pastor.

Sabbath school 2:00 p. m. H. M. Barnes, Supt.

Christian Endeavor 6:45.

### Church of Christ.

Bowman Hostetler, Pastor.

Bible School, 9:15 a. m. Mabel A. Jones, Supt.

Communion and preaching 10:30 a. m. Subject of sermon: "Christ's Universal Witness." Fifth sermon of series on "Evangelism."

C. E. meeting 6:30 p. m. Topic, "Our Social Life for Christ."

Union open-air meeting on court house lawn. Song service begins at 7:30 p. m.

Training for service class, Monday 7:30 p. m.

Mid-week meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m. Topic: "On What Are You Building?"

Strangers and visitors welcome at all services.

### A. M. E. Church.

Rev. J. O. Halthcox, Pastor.

9:30 a. m., Sunday school.

10:45 a. m. Preaching.

6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor.

7:45 p. m. Preaching.

## FREE TRIP TO OHIO STATE FAIR

The Agricultural Commission of Ohio will pay the expenses of a trip to the Ohio State Fair for one boy from each county who is in the 1914 corn, potato or apple growing contests, and who has complied with all of the rules.

The selection of the boy will be made at the county auditor's office Monday, August 24, at 10 a. m., by the following persons:

County commissioners, county school examiners, president and secretary of county and independent fairs, president and secretary of County Teachers' Institute, Masters of Granges, president and secretary of County Sunday School convention, president and secretary of each regular and independent Farmer Institute, president and secretary of farmer picnics that have been organized for two years or more, each newspaper, president and secretaries of Pomona Granges, Pioneer associations and Farmers' Mutual Insurance companies, presidents, secretaries and township vice-presidents of County Crop Improvement Associations, persons or firms offering a free Washington trip to have one vote for each trip offered. In case the money for the free trip was raised by subscription the officer or person in charge of the subscription to have the vote, whom we hope will be present at above named date and select the most deserving boy; not necessarily the boy with the greatest pull. Voting must be done in person. No proxies allowed. Instruction blanks have been sent to all boys entered in these contests.

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Damson Plums 10c quart. 2 quarts for 15c  
California Malaga Grapes 15c pound.  
Red and Blue Giant Prunes 3 for 5c, 20c doz.  
California Bartlett Pears 2 for 5c.

## THE FEMINE ENIGMA.

Queer Incident of the Turkish Revolution of 1908.

In "The Orient Express" Arthur Moore, F. R. G. S., relates a true incident of the Young Turks' revolution of 1908, in which a woman plays a thrilling dramatic part. Herself a revolutionary and the sister of Major Enver Bey, she was the wife of Nazim Bey, the sultan's principal police spy at Saloniki, whose assassination the committee of union and progress had decided upon. She did not hesitate to help the murderer. She left the curtains undrawn where she and her husband were dining together and placed a strong light behind him. Then she sat waiting tensely. Soon the shot rang out. But the conspirator had bungled. Nazim was only wounded. Six weeks later the miracle of the revolution was accomplished, and the committee, clement in their triumph, condemned Nazim Bey not to death, but to exile, and would have exalted his wife into a heroine. But she, to Enver Bey's astonishment, proposed to go and share her husband's lonely exile at Benghazi. "But, my sister," said Enver, "it is unthinkable that you should suffer such a terrible fate. Moreover, the man is an infamous spy, who deserves death. Why should you share his public disgrace?"

"He is my husband," she answered, "and I love him."  
"You love him! But were you not already a consenting and even abetting party to the death which was intended for him?"

"That is true. I was willing that he should die for the sake of our cause, but as he is to live I shall live with him. Where he goes I shall go."

So together the husband and wife went to Benghazi.

### Comparative.

"Is there any truth to the assertion made by scientists," asked a young man recently, "that when a man and a woman have lived together for some time their facial characteristics assume a similarity?"

The man to whom the question was put was supposed to be a scientist, but he chose to regard the question in a humorous light.

"There most certainly is," he replied. "I know a man who married a widow, and she was constantly reminding him of her first husband."—New York Tribune.

### Side Interests.

"No. I didn't hire your friend."

"Why didn't you? He's an able man."

"Well, he's a health enthusiast. Has to go out every hour for seventeen inhalations of ozone, does setting up exercises four times a day and has to have a quart of hot water to drink every fifteen minutes. I fear he would have little time for actual business."—Kansas City Journal.

### Suitable Calling.

"What business are you going to put your son to, Brown?"

"Well, haven't decided yet, but judging from the hours he keeps I should judge he was naturally cut out for a milkman."—Sydney Bulletin.

## NOTICE

To Chauffeurs of Fayette and adjoining counties.

The State Examination for chauffeurs will be held at Washington C. H., Ohio, on Monday, Aug. 17, at the office of District Tax Assessor in the court house, beginning at 8 o'clock a. m.

All persons who drive for hire or work in garages are required to have a state chauffeur's license. This will be your last opportunity to take this examination at Washington C. H. and all those who do not take advantage of it will be compelled to come to Columbus for their examination in the future.

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# In Social Circles

One of the most charming of summer garden parties was given Friday afternoon by Mrs. J. W. Willis and daughter, Mrs. R. O. Young, in compliment to Mrs. D. O. Beath.

The beautiful Willis lawn, shaded with spreading trees, provided ideal surroundings for a congenial circle of fifty women, who thoroughly enjoyed meeting Mrs. Beath, together with the spontaneous hospitalities of the afternoon.

Dainty summer gowns of every hue enhanced the beauty of the scene, and a refreshing summer collation was served under the trees.

Pantries were the guest favors. Assisting the hostesses were Miss Pepple and Miss Carrie Willis.

Mrs. Anna Bush Coffman delightfully entertained a dozen of the younger society girls Friday afternoon, in honor of Miss Juanita Deere, of Chicago.

Miss Deere will remain the guest of Washington friends and relatives until the middle of September, when she returns to her home to enter the Chicago Art Institute, from which she graduates this year.

She has been the guest of honor at several affairs and the one of Friday afternoon gave opportunity for the renewal of former acquaintances. Miss Deere's pretty blonde type was well set off by a beautiful gown of white shadow lace, with rose mes-saline girdle.

Mrs. Coffman received in a lingerie gown of white and pink. Vases of golden glow and nasturtiums graced the large rooms, and a pink and white color scheme was carried out in the dainty refreshments served.

The guests included Miss Evelyn Ross and guest, Miss Holdren, of

Charleston, W. Va.; Misses Geraldine Coffman, Janet Stutson, Margaret Mark, Ruth Parrett, Doris McFadden, Jane Paul, Dorothy Fullerton, Alice Loofbourrow.

Mrs. Frank Perrill entertained the Friday afternoon Kensington club, with a number of additional guests, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Perrill is always a charming hostess and the perfect day, together with the big porch converted into a bower of greenery and utilized as a reception room, made the affair most attractive.

Baskets of smilax, flowers, ferns and trailing vines, hung overhead and a luxuriant array of potted ferns and plants suggested the conservatory.

A delicious collation was served during the afternoon's chat. Mrs. Harry Rodecker and Mrs. Clarence Craig assisting the hostess.

Mrs. Fred Sprenger, of Marion, Ill., and Mrs. Sherman Murray, of Washington, D. C., were out-of-town guests.

Miss Helen Glascock gave a pretty party Friday afternoon for her bright little niece, Georgiana Glascock. Games and paper caps entertained the children, and a tempting summer luncheon was served.

The little guests were Jean Worthington, Enid McClure, Janet Whelpley, Jean Michael, Portia Brownell, Mary Josephine Bireley, Virginia Sprenger, of Marion, Ill., and Thomas Craig.

Entertaining her young niece, Helena McLean, of Magnetic Springs, Miss Rose McLean gave a jolly little picnic spread Friday. The additional guests were Ruth and Mary Hagler, Mary West and Dorothy Dunlap.

Ellis Daugherty will occupy the residence they vacate, moving from W. Market street.

Mrs. R. C. Carr and daughter, Gladys, of Muncie, Ind., are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Sarah E. McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wilkin and son, Daniel, returned Friday night from a visit with Mrs. Wilkin's parent, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bean, in Hillsboro.

Y. M. C. A. Secretary Walter Patton is spending Sunday in Springfield.

Mrs. Ione Bryant is spending six weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Anna Irish, in Elkhart, Ill.

Edward DeWeese is spending the week in Greenfield, visiting his uncle Mr. G. L. Todhunter, and attending the chautauqua.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Howat, Miss Jean Howat and guest, Miss Mary Dudley, of Clifton Forge, Va., made a motoring trip to Dayton Friday.

Mr. G. W. Waggoner joined his wife for a visit at the home of Mr. T. M. Ustick, and daughter, Mrs. Regina Staubus, Friday.

Miss Gail Bodenheimer, of Columbus, is spending the week the guest of Mrs. Austin F. Hopkins.

Mr. H. K. Stewart had as his guests at Spring Hill farm this week one of the most prominent Duroc hog judges of the country, Mr. Carl Allen, of Russell, Ia., and three of the foremost Duroc hog breeders of Ohio, Messrs. Ira Jackson, of Tippecanoe City, and R. C. Watt, of Cedarville, and Pearl Mahan, of Osborn. The party was enroute from a Duroc sale at Versailles, Ky.

Mrs. W. E. Martin left Saturday evening for a two weeks' visit with Mrs. David Morris in Sabina.

Mr. C. W. Barnes, of Post 669, has been appointed the only delegate from Ross county to the 48th National Encampment to be held in Detroit, August 31st to Sept. 4th. He will leave this city August 30.

Miss Lulu Theobald leaves Monday for a ten days' stay in Chicago and Cleveland, purchasing fall millinery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Star Smith and daughter, Miss Dorothy, who occupied the residence of Mrs. Bertha S. Miller and son, Oliver, during their summer's absence, have taken rooms temporarily with Miss Florence Ogle on East street.

Col. George Evans, of Mt. Oreb, is here to attend the fair and has entered Ashlawn Finch in the three-year-old trot.

Rankin Paul, who is with the Hill's Wild West show, came over from Leesburg Saturday and will remain at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Paul, over next week. The Hill show will be one of the Fayette County Fair attractions.

Miss Leola Rodgers has been entertaining Miss Rurle Hoppess, of Springfield, for the past ten days.

Miss Wilma Hammer left Saturday for Cleveland, where she will visit her brother, Mr. Raymond Hammer.

Mr. W. D. Craig returned Friday from a business trip in the interest of Craig Bros.' store, to New York and Cleveland.

Mrs. E. L. Miller is visiting in Springfield.

Mrs. Frank M. Kennedy, Mrs. C. U. Armstrong and Mrs. E. F. Todhunter are the guests of Miss Monte Parrett at the Parrett country home today.

Mr. Willis Cawley has returned from a trip to Cleveland.

Miss Ruth McCoy has been a week end visitor in Columbus.

Miss Ruth Smith visited in Jeffersonville this week.

Miss Helen Harper returned Friday evening from a visit in Woodstock.

Miss Emily Tanzey returns Sunday from a visit in Newark.

Mr. Chas. Swishelm, of Hillsboro is in Washington to remain over for the fair races, in which he has entered several horses.

Mrs. Minnie Brown is spending a few days visiting her son, Mr. Alfred Brown, in Middletown.

Mrs. Anna Morgan has returned from the fall millinery openings and wishes to announce that she has a full line of fall millinery, including black velvet sailors, trimmed, ready to wear; price \$2 to \$3.

**NEW GENERATOR AT LOCAL POWER PLANT**

A monster new 180 K. W. generator and engine, of latest design, is being installed at the power house of the Washington Gas and Electric company, and while the work is under way, it will require several weeks before the generator is ready for use.

When placed in operation the ponderous piece of machinery will be utilized in generating the current used in the day time in this city. New Holland, Bloomingburg, Jeffersonville, Milledgeville and Leesburg. The capacity of the plant will be greatly increased by the addition of the new generator.

**DEATHS**

**JONES.**

Florence Jones, aged 16 years, daughter of Nathaniel and Alice Jones, died Friday night at 10:30 at her residence on Campbell street. Funeral services will be held Monday morning at 10:30 at residence. Interment will be made in Washington cemetery.

**RENO WILL PITCH FOR ATHLETICS**

Lineup Will Be Same as Before on Both eTams Save That Linson Will Play the Right Garden—Manager Noon Secures Dave Powell of Greenfield, Catcher and Infielder.

With the exception of the right field on the local lineup, which will be covered by Linson, the team chosen to stack up against the fast Cincinnati Muldoons here tomorrow afternoon is about the same as the one that suffered the 4 to 0 defeat a few weeks ago, but it is more determined one and one that realizes what it has to buck up against. The Muldoons have not changed their lineup and will meet Washington with the same team.

The game is expected to draw out a capacity crowd as the visiting team is one of, if not the strongest that has played here this year and the local team have a bad taste in their mouths from the defeat administered by the Queen City stars a short

# STUTSON'S TONIGHT

White and linen colored Skirts, \$1.25 at **49c**  
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## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Edith Rauch arrives from Norwood, Cincinnati, Monday, to be the guest of Miss Lucy Edna Pine.

Miss Elizabeth McDonald returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit with Miss Katharine Dunn in Columbus. Misses Katharine and Margaret Dunn accompanied her home for a visit.

Mrs. Louis Bernard, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Willison, on South Hinde street, returned to her home in Cincinnati Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rothrock returned Saturday from a stay of several weeks at Russell Point, where their daughter, Mrs. Charles Bell, has a cottage.

Miss Lannius and Miss Virginia Campbell are visiting friends in Chillicothe.

Miss Mariellen Wigginton is the guest of friends in Greenfield.

Miss Dottie Highland is home from Ft. Wayne, Ind., where she spent a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. Herbert Snyder. She was accompanied home by her brother, Mr. Laban Highland, wife and son, Harry, who will spend three weeks with Mr. Highland's father, Mr. S. V. Highland.

Mr. Edwin Jones spent Thursday in Columbus.

Mrs. Joe Gillespie is the guest of Mrs. Katharine Miller in Lancaster.

Miss Helen Jones has joined a Mt. Sterling camping party for a ten days' camp on Deer creek.

Miss Jean Fitzgerald and brother, Lyman, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Loofbourrow, and uncle, Mr. M. F. Loofbourrow, in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Glascock have broken up housekeeping in the Cissna double house on W. Temple street and will visit with Mrs. Glascock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rothrock, for a week or so before their removal to Cincinnati. Mr. and Mrs.

## BROWN CASE SET FOR MONDAY MORNING

Owing to the death of a daughter of the prosecuting witness, the bootlegging case against Henry Brown, which was set for hearing Saturday morning, has been continued until Monday morning.

Brown has been confined in the county jail while awaiting a hearing.

## GOT HIS NUMBER

A large touring car bearing four of Bainbridge's finest and license number 42,975, left early Sunday evening for Rainsboro where four blushing damsels eagerly awaited their coming. Later reports have it that one of the young men purchased a diamond ring this week. Further announcements later.—Bainbridge Observer.

## MODISH HOUSE GOWNS ARE FASHIONED OF THE PRETTY FIGURED CRAPE.

Charming boudoir and morning gowns are designed of the dainty flowered crapes. The morning dress shown here is carried out in pink and white flowered material. The fullness at the neck and waist is controlled by bands of ribbon. A little Dutch cap of net and ribbon may be worn with the dress.



## FRIEND WINS FIRST BRINER IS THIRD

C. C. Friend, in a Buick car, won first prize of \$200 in the Athens automobile race, and Erway Briner, who won the auto race in this city a few weeks ago, finished third.

E. E. Smith, of Lancaster, carried off second money, \$100, in a little Overland machine.

Best time was 36 minutes for the 25 mile race.

An automobile race is being run at Lebanon, today, with several Lancaster machines participating. Ralph Cline of this city is also entered in the race.

## JOSEPH E. DAVIES MAY BE MADE CHAIRMAN OF NEW TRADE COMMISSION.

Washington, August 15.—It has been understood that Joseph E. Davies of Wisconsin, commissioner of corporations, would be chairman of the commission. In one of the first drafts of the bill the "present commissioner of corporations" was designated as the first chairman of the trade commission. While the pending bill does not specify it, senators and representatives have been led to believe that Mr. Davies would be appointed if the commission is created. Republicans in the senate have been growing more and more restless over the political activities of Mr. Davies.



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## Self Denial.

Teacher—What do you understand by the words "self denial?" Pupil—It is when some one comes to borrow money from father and he says he is not at home.—Elegende Blatter.

The Answer.

"They say the Joneses are a very happy couple."

"But Jones is a traveling man and is very seldom at home."

"Exactly."—Cleveland Leader.

## New Classification.

The Census Taker—How many are there in that bunch of Portuguese? The Landlady—Six. A Portuguese, a Portugander and four little Portugoslings.—Chicago News.

## CLASSIFIED

LOST—Side lamp for Ford automobile between Children's Home and Orman garage. Finder call A. C. Henkle.

LOST—Lady's pocketbook, either on Elm street or North street, containing valuable papers. Finder please return to L. Lee on Elm street. Reward.

FOR RENT—House six rooms on Yeoman street. Abner Johnson, 133 Columbus avenue. 192 6t

## DAILY TIME TABLE.

BALTIMORE & OHIO S. W.			
GOING WEST	GOING EAST	GOING WEST	GOING EAST
No. Cincinnati	No. Columbus	No. Cincinnati	No. Columbus
105...5:05 a.m.	110...5:05 a.m.	105...5:05 a.m.	110...5:05 a.m.
101...7:39 a.m.	104...10:42 a.m.	101...7:39 a.m.	104...10:42 a.m.
103...3:32 p.m.	108...6:08 p.m.	103...3:32 p.m.	108...6:08 p.m.
107...6:08 p.m.	106...10:53 p.m.	107...6:08 p.m.	106...10:53 p.m.
East-bound 114, Sundays, 4:19 a.m.			
PENNSYLVANIA LINES.			
GOING WEST	GOING EAST	GOING WEST	GOING EAST
No. Cincinnati	No. Zanesville	No. Cincinnati	No. Zanesville
21...9:08 a.m.	26...9:47 a.m.	21...9:08 a.m.	26...9:47 a.m.
19...3:50 p.m.	34...5:45 p.m.	19...3:50 p.m.	34...5:45 p.m.
Sunday to Cincinnati...7:40 a.m.			
Sunday to Lancaster...8:58 p.m.			
C. H. & D.			
GOING NORTH	GOING SOUTH	GOING NORTH	GOING SOUTH
No. Dayton	No. Wellston	No. Dayton	No. Wellston
201...7:50 a.m.	202...9:45 a.m.	201...7:50 a.m.	202...9:45 a.m.
203...4:12 p.m.	204...6:12 p.m.	203...4:12 p.m.	204...6:12 p.m.
SUNDAY ONLY.			
263...7:48 p.m.	262...7:06 p.m.	263...7:48 p.m.	262...7:06 p.m.
DETROIT, TOLEDO & IRONTON.			
GOING NORTH	GOING SOUTH	GOING NORTH	GOING SOUTH
No. Springfield	No. Greenfield	No. Springfield	No. Greenfield
12...7:34 a.m.	9...9:45 a.m.	12...7:34 a.m.	9...9:45 a.m.
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## Political Announcements

### COMMISSIONER.

I respectfully solicit the support of the voters of Fayette county in my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner on the Democratic ticket.

W. S. DRAPER.

# EDWARDS FACES WIFE'S CHARGE

New York, Aug. 15.—John H. Edwards, first assistant secretary of the treasury under President Roosevelt, was arrested in his room in the Park Avenue hotel and arraigned before United States Commissioner Houghton on a warrant charging him with nonsupport and desertion of his wife and three young children in Washington. On the advice of his lawyer he waived examination and was taken back to Washington for trial. When arrested Edwards refused to tell what he was doing for a livelihood. He said he was separated from his wife and hadn't money enough to support her.

## TO ORGANIZE THE NEW COMMITTEE

Columbus, Aug. 15.—Call was issued for the new Republican state central committee to meet next Wednesday at the Neil House. The committee will organize and is expected to appoint a state executive committee at this meeting. It is said either Chairman W. L. Parmenter of Lima will be re-elected as the head of the central committee or the chairmanship will be given to Sherman M. Granger of Zanesville.

## JEWELER ROBBED

Urbana, O., Aug. 15.—The jewelry store of A. J. Conn was robbed of \$1,000 worth of watches and rings. The plate glass front was smashed with a brick. The contents of the window were grabbed up and the thief escaped.

## POULTRY SHIPPERS

Marion, O., Aug. 15.—The executive committee of the Ohio Butter, Egg and Poultry Producers' and Shippers' association, in session here, decided to hold the state convention in Columbus Oct. 1.

# TOD FREED

Columbus, Aug. 15.—David Tod of Youngstown, defeated for the Republican nomination for governor, was acquitted in police court of charge brought by County Auditor Fred M. Sayre that he had given an untrue statement to the newspapers. The verdict came after the jury had debated for a little over two hours. Mr. Tod made no comment for publication. The case was brought by Mr. Sayre under the state's new law making it a misdemeanor to furnish untrue or false statements to newspapers, and followed the publication of a statement from Mr. Tod declaring that Mr. Sayre and local politicians had attempted to obtain a \$5,000 donation for use in the Franklin county campaign.

## FAMILY PAID

Columbus, Aug. 15.—While chasing two thieves who had stolen pig iron from the plant where he was employed as watchman, James Fair of Youngstown fell dead, presumably from exhaustion or apoplexy. The widow and nine children have been granted \$3,678.48 by the state industrial commission out of the workmen's compensation fund.

## AUTO AND TROLLEY CAR IN COLLISION

Dayton, Aug. 15.—Dr. W. C. Mendenhall of Trotwood is in a local hospital with a fractured skull, broken arm and leg, resulting from collision between his automobile and an interurban car.

## BOYCOTT DEALERS

Providence, R. I., Aug. 15.—The Providence Housewives' league, socially prominent, plans to boycott all dealers forcing high prices for food-stuffs.

## The Worm Turned.

"Is any one waiting on you?" finally asked the haughty saleslady, condescending at last to notice the shopping person.

"I'm afraid not," replied the latter. "My husband was—I left him outside—but I'm afraid he's become disgusted and gone home."—Toledo Blade.

## Woman, Lovely Woman.

Every time a new young man calls the girl who wouldn't know a waffle griddle from a nutmeg grater gets terribly domestic in the trend of her conversation.—Florida Times-Union.

## To Make Them Smart.

"Mr. Pedagog is an old time teacher. He believes in the rod to brighten up dull boys."  
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House on Fayette street now occupied by Leo Katz will be for rent September 1st; modern and city heat if preferred. See R. C. Peddicord.

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## ARE YOU A MATHEMATICIAN?

Then Solve This Problem and Win a Prize of \$25,000.

The largest single prize offered for a scientific discovery is still going begging. The prize has been open to competition for many years. At first sight the problem for a solution of which the prize is offered looks no more difficult than those with which high school students are familiar, but many of the greatest mathematicians in the world have tried to solve the problem and given it up in despair.

It is known as Fermat's problem. Nearly 300 years ago Fermat, one of the greatest mathematicians who ever lived, stated that the equation  $x^n + y^n = z^n$  could not be satisfied by whole numbers when  $n$  is an odd prime number different from unity. The problem may be stated in another way—viz. that  $x^n + y^n = z^n$  cannot be satisfied when  $n$  is any integer greater than 2. The one follows as a logical conclusion from the other.

The Academy of Sciences of Goettingen, Germany, offers a prize of 100,000 marks (about \$25,000) for proof of this assertion. This is the prize that is going begging.

Dr. Joseph Bowden, professor of mathematics, Adelphi college, Brooklyn, asked by the Scientific American to state the precise conditions for winning the prize, writes that the Academy of Sciences will not consider any manuscripts sent in, but only proposed solutions printed and offered for sale as monographs, in books on mathematics or in mathematical periodicals. The award will not be made until two years after the publication of the memoir in order that mathematicians may have ample opportunity to test and criticize the solution.

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## Imposition.

"I don't see why lawyers should get imposed on so much," said Farmer Courtesset.

"Imposed on?"  
"Yes. Every time one gets a government office he says he is compelled to give up a lucrative practice."—Washington Star.

## Cocoa Bean Currency.

When Mexico was discovered by the Spaniards, in 1519, cocoa beans were used for currency. The Spaniards found two and a half millions pounds of beans in the national treasury.

## Read the Classified Columns.

## \$100 Reward, \$100

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The formal and official opening will take place next March, when there is to be an international celebration, at which President Wilson and the members of his cabinet are to be present. It is understood there are a number of steamship lines ready to send their vessels through the canal at once.

Red Cross Bait Blue makes the laundress happy, makes clothes whiter than snow. All good grocers.

## Political Announcements

COMMISSIONER.  
I respectfully solicit the support of the voters of Fayette county in my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner on the Democratic ticket.

W. S. DRAPER.

# EDWARDS FACES WIFE'S CHARGE

New York, Aug. 15.—John H. Edwards, first assistant secretary of the treasury under President Roosevelt, was arrested in his room in the Park Avenue hotel and arraigned before United States Commissioner Houghton on a warrant charging him with nonsupport and desertion of his wife and three young children in Washington. On the advice of his lawyer he waived examination and was taken back to Washington for trial. When arrested Edwards refused to tell what he was doing for a livelihood. He said he was separated from his wife and hadn't money enough to support her.

## TO ORGANIZE THE NEW COMMITTEE

Columbus, Aug. 15.—Call was issued for the new Republican state central committee to meet next Wednesday at the Neil House. The committee will organize and is expected to appoint a state executive committee at this meeting. It is said either Chairman W. L. Parmenter of Lima will be re-elected as the head of the central committee or the chairmanship will be given to Sherman M. Granger of Zanesville.

## JEWELER ROBBED

Urbana, O., Aug. 15.—The jewelry store of A. J. Conn was robbed of \$1,000 worth of watches and rings. The plate glass front was smashed with a brick. The contents of the window were grabbed up and the thief escaped.

## POULTRY SHIPPERS

Marion, O., Aug. 15.—The executive committee of the Ohio Butter, Egg and Poultry Producers' and Shippers' association, in session here, decided to hold the state convention in Columbus Oct. 1.

# TOD FREED

Columbus, Aug. 15.—David Tod of Youngstown, defeated for the Republican nomination for governor, was acquitted in police court of charge brought by County Auditor Fred M. Sayre that he had given an untrue statement to the newspapers. The verdict came after the jury had debated for a little over two hours. Mr. Tod made no comment for publication. The case was brought by Mr. Sayre under the state's new law making it a misdemeanor to furnish untrue or false statements to newspapers, and followed the publication of a statement from Mr. Tod declaring that Mr. Sayre and local politicians had attempted to obtain a \$5,000 donation for use in the Franklin county campaign.

## FAMILY PAID

Columbus, Aug. 15.—While chasing two thieves who had stolen pig iron from the plant where he was employed as watchman, James Fair of Youngstown fell dead, presumably from exhaustion or apoplexy. The widow and nine children have been granted \$3,678.48 by the state industrial commission out of the workmen's compensation fund.

## AUTO AND TROLLEY CAR IN COLLISION

Dayton, Aug. 15.—Dr. W. C. Mendenhall of Trotwood is in a local hospital with a fractured skull, broken arm and leg, resulting from collision between his automobile and an interurban car.

## BOYCOTT DEALERS

Providence, R. I., Aug. 15.—The Providence Housewives' league, socially prominent, plans to boycott all dealers forcing high prices for food-stuffs.

The Worm Turned.  
"Is any one waiting on you?" finally asked the haughty saleslady, condescending at last to notice the shopping person.  
"I'm afraid not," replied the latter.  
"My husband was—I left him outside—but I'm afraid he's become disgusted and gone home."—Toledo Blade.

Woman, Lovely Woman.  
Every time a new young man calls the girl who wouldn't know a waffle griddle from a nutmeg grater gets terribly domestic in the trend of her conversation.—Florida Times-Union.

To Make Them Smart.  
"Mr. Pedagog is an old time teacher. He believes in the rod to brighten up dull boys."  
"Well, isn't that the natural way to make them smart?"

House on Fayette street now occupied by Leo Katz will be for rent September 1st; modern and city heat if preferred. See R. C. Peddicord, 189 4t



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## ARE YOU A MATHEMATICIAN?

Then Solve This Problem and Win a Prize of \$25,000.

The largest single prize offered for a scientific discovery is still going begging. The prize has been open to competition for many years. At first sight the problem for a solution of which the prize is offered looks no more difficult than those with which high school students are familiar, but many of the greatest mathematicians in the world have tried to solve the problem and given it up in despair. It is known as Fermat's problem. Nearly 300 years ago Fermat, one of the greatest mathematicians who ever lived, stated that the equation  $x^n + y^n = z^n$  could not be satisfied by whole numbers when  $n$  is an odd prime number different from unity. The problem may be stated in another way—viz that  $x^n + y^n = z^n$  cannot be satisfied when  $n$  is any integer greater than 2. The one follows as a logical conclusion from the other.

The Academy of Sciences at Göttingen, Germany, offers a prize of 100,000 marks (about \$25,000) for proof of this assertion. This is the prize that is going begging.

Dr. Joseph Bowden, professor of mathematics, Adelphi college, Brooklyn, asked by the Scientific American to state the precise conditions for winning the prize, writes that the Academy of Sciences will not consider any manuscripts sent in, but only proposed solutions printed and offered for sale as monographs, in books on mathematics or in mathematical periodicals. The award will not be made until two years after the publication of the memoir in order that mathematicians may have ample opportunity to test and criticize the solution.

The object of these restrictions is to save the academy from being flooded with undigested manuscripts. It will only consider solutions that have stood the test of some competent editor or publisher in the first place.

### Imposition.

"I don't see why lawyers should get imposed on so much," said Farmer Cornstossel.

"Imposed on?"  
"Yes. Every time one gets a government office he says he is compelled to give up a lucrative practice."—Washington Star.

### Cocoba Bean Currency.

When Mexico was discovered by the Spaniards, in 1519, cocoba beans were used for currency. The Spaniards found two and a half millions pounds of beans in the national treasury.

### Read the Classified Columns.

### \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address P. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## How To Conquer Rheumatism At Your Own Home.

If you or any of your friends suffer from rheumatism, kidney disorders or excess of uric acid, causing lameness, backache, muscular pains, stiff, painful, swollen joints, pain in the limbs and feet, dimness of sight, itching skin or frequent neuralgic pains, I invite you to send for a generous Free Trial Treatment of my well-known, reliable **Chronicure**, with references and full particulars by mail. (This is no C.O.D. scheme.) No matter how many may have failed in your case, let me prove to you free of cost, that rheumatism can be conquered. **Chronicure** succeeds where all else fails. **Chronicure** cleanses the blood and removes the cause. Also for a weakened, run-down condition of the system, you will find **Chronicure** a most satisfactory general tonic that makes you feel that life is worth living. Please tell your friends of this liberal offer, and send today for large free package, to MRS. M. SUMMERS, 131 E. Washington Avenue, South Bend, Indiana.

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FOR RENT—Modern house on North street; 5-room house on Leesburg avenue; gas. Citizens phone 1750. 189 6t

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FOR SALE—Baby buggy in good condition. Bell phone 65 W. 191 6t

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FOR SALE—5 passenger Ford touring car in first-class condition; cheap. Bell Herald office. 187 6t

FOR SALE—A Reed piano, practically new; bargain if sold soon; price \$160. Jacob Nelson, Good Hope, Ohio. 187 6t

FOR SALE—"Harley Davidson" 1914 motorcycle; first class condition; fully equipped. Call Bell 336. 181 12t

FOR SALE—5-room house, new, good out buildings, both kinds water and hydrant. Mrs. Margaret Hurt, Millwood avenue. 172-1t

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WANTED—Ladies to sew at home. Earn \$10 weekly. Work sent prepaid. Mfg. Co., 1431 Broadway, N. Y. City. 191 6t

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LOST—Gold Masonic watch charm. Found at Worrell's Jewelry store. 191 3t

LOST—Between North North St., Washington C. H., and Eber, Wednesday, an automobile crank. Leave 643 N. North street. A. P. Kilgus. 190 6t

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## FRENCH ARTILLERY IN ACTION.

# BASE BALL

Cleveland, Aug. 15.—By taking advantage of Nap errors and slamming Bill Steen at opportune times, the Tigers defeated the Naps. Score: R. H. E.  
Detroit.....0 1 0 0 2 1 2 3 3  
Cleveland.....1 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 4 9 5  
Batteries—Dauus and Stange; Colimore, Coumbe and O'Neill.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

CLUBS. W. L. PC. CLUBS. W. L. PC.  
Phila.....58 35 560 Chicago.....54 54 560  
Boston.....58 47 552 St. Louis.....50 53 485  
Wash'tn.....56 48 538 N. York.....48 57 457  
Detroit.....54 52 509 Cleveland.....34 76 309

AT ST. LOUIS—R. H. E.  
Chicago.....0 1 0 0 2 0 0 3 6 8 1  
St. Louis.....0 1 3 0 0 0 0 0 4 8 1  
Batteries—Faber, Lathrop, Benz and Shalk; Wellman and Agnew.

AT BOSTON—R. H. E.  
New York.....0 2 1 0 4 0 0 0 7 7 1  
Boston.....4 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 6 11 4  
Batteries—Brown, Keating, Cole and Sweeney; Foster, Collins, Bedient and Thomas and Carrigan.

AT PHILADELPHIA—R. H. E.  
Washington.....0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 2 8 0  
Philadelphia.....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 11 0  
Batteries—Johnson and Almsmith; Bressler and Lapp.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

CLUBS. W. L. PC. CLUBS. W. L. PC.  
N. York.....53 42 580 Phila.....48 53 475  
Boston.....53 46 535 Chi'to.....47 55 461  
Chicago.....54 49 524 Pittsb'gh.....46 55 457  
St. Louis.....55 52 514 Brooklyn.....45 54 425

AT NEW YORK—R. H. E.  
Boston.....0 2 2 0 2 1 0 0 6 7 11 2  
New York.....0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 3 6 2  
Batteries—James and Gowdy; Tesreau, Demaree, Willard and Meyers.

AT PITTSBURGH—R. H. E.  
Cincinnati.....1 1 0 0 0 1 0 4 0 7 14 3  
Pittsburgh.....0 0 4 0 4 0 0 0 8 7 2  
Batteries—Douglas, Yingling, Schneider and Clark and Gonzales; McQuillan, O'Toole, Harmon and Coleman.

AT BROOKLYN—R. H. E.  
Philadelphia.....0 0 0 2 1 3 0 0 2 8 14 4  
Brooklyn.....0 3 2 1 0 0 1 0 0 7 14 2  
Batteries—Rixey, Marshall, Tineup and Kilmer; Steele, Schnitz, Allen and Miller.

### FEDERAL LEAGUE.

CLUBS. W. L. PC. CLUBS. W. L. PC.  
Chicago.....59 47 557 Buffalo.....51 50 505  
Baito.....55 46 545 Pittsb'gh.....45 54 446  
Brooklyn.....53 45 541 St. Louis.....47 60 439  
Ind'lis.....55 47 539 K. City.....46 60 431

Kansas City, 6; Baltimore, 5.  
Chicago, 3; Pittsburgh, 5.  
St. Louis, 3; Brooklyn, 5.

### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

CLUBS. W. L. PC. CLUBS. W. L. PC.  
Milw'kee.....68 51 577 K. City.....51 60 504  
Louisville.....69 52 566 Cleveland.....50 60 500  
Columbus.....61 55 521 Minne.....57 65 467  
Ind'lis.....63 59 516 St. Paul.....53 78 405

Milwaukee, 6; St. Paul, 4.  
Columbus, 13; Louisville, 5.  
Indianapolis, 5; Cleveland, 2.  
Minneapolis, 10; Kansas City, 4.

## SPORT LETTER

Cincinnati, August 15.

Aside from the steady advance of the Boston team, which now seems to have some prospect of overtaking the leaders before the end of the big fight, there have been no changes of note in the National League race during the past week. New York has been brought back closer to Chicago and St. Louis, thereby making it easier for Boston to advance to the front, provided, of course, the Beane keep up the gait at which they are going at present. The Reds are doing better than holding their own on the eastern trip, a pair of defeats in games that went into extra innings, handicapping them somewhat in their efforts to regain the first division. At the close of the present eastern invasion, which includes games at Pittsburgh on Friday and Saturday, the Reds will perform on the home lot for some weeks, during which new players will be tried out and a strong bid made for a permanent place in the first division. The home series opens on Sunday, August 16th, with a game with Brooklyn. Other Sunday games during the series include August 23 with New York, and August 30 with Philadelphia.

This is the particular time of year when the scouts for the big league teams are putting the finishing touches to the dope they have accumulated on various bush league stars in all sections of the United States and Canada. The final analysis on this prospective big league timber will take place during the coming week, and will be followed by announcements of purchases at prices that will make the ordinary mortal gasp. There is no doubt that quotations on

promising minor league talent are up, and the club that lands the stars will have a perceptible dent put in its bank account. Cincinnati is said to have snared several of the best youngsters in the minors whose identity will be disclosed within a few days, and who probably will be on the team's line-up before the end of the season.

Manager Herzog seems to have passed the experimental stage on three of his four infield positions, third base being the only precinct on the inner circle that seems unsatisfactory. Since his threat to quit the team, Niehoff has not been performing up to his early form. Not only has his batting deteriorated, but his fielding is below par, at least two of the games lost by the Reds during the past week being due directly to bobbles on the part of the third baseman. Manager Herzog intends trying out Von Kolnitz at third, and also is angling for an International league third baseman by the name of Bues. A real third baseman, two reliable pitchers and one more outfielder of the Moran-Twombly-Daniels type, and the Reds will be there for a tough battle every day in the week.

While the races for the America's cup have not yet been declared officially, there is no doubt that there will be nothing doing in yachting circles between Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock IV and the American sailing vessel selected to defend the cup. The Shamrock has arrived at Bermuda, after a scary voyage from the Azores, reports of the close proximity of German cruisers keeping the officers of the Shamrock and her tender, the Erin, in a constant stew. The Shamrock probably will remain at Bermuda until the war is over, having the protection of the navy as well as the British military there.

Freddie Welsh, the new lightweight champion, is preparing to make a quick get-away from England where the fist fighting game has gone to pot. It is expected that Welsh will arrive in this country within a month, and that he will be kept extremely busy during his visit here. One of his early engagements will be a ten-round sprint with Willie Ritchie, erstwhile title holder, to be followed with a longer bout with Ritchie. Charlie White, Joe Rovers, Joe Mandot, Al Wolgast, Milburn Saylor and Pal Brown are others who want a whack at Welsh when he comes over—and will probably get it.

It looks like a case of "Farewell, Irene," so far as the international Olympic games of 1916 are concerned. These contests were to have been held in Berlin; but with Germany fighting Great Britain, France and Russia, three of the foremost contenders in previous meets, and with Greece, Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Italy doing things that do not please Germany, there seems to be no one on good terms with the Kaiser but the United States and Austria—and these, with Germany, will hardly go in for the big shoe without the others. No matter how soon the war ends, the wounds inflicted will not be sufficiently healed by 1916 to make it pleasant for any of the belligerent nations to send athletes to Berlin. Selah.

C. H. ZUBER.

### Warned Against Coffee.

Once upon a time people wanted state wide prohibition of coffee. In his book, "London in English Literature," Percy H. Boynton says of the old coffee houses:

"As the number of them increased broadsides appeared against them. One was entitled 'The Woman's Petition Against Coffee,' and it asserted that coffee drinking encouraged idling and talkativeness and led men to trifle away their time, send their chops and spend their money, all for a little black, thick, nasty, bitter, nauseous puddle water."

### Transposed.

He—Then my welfare is of no interest to you? She—Not so much as your farewell would be. Mr. Smithers.—Boston Transcript.

We shall never find the situation where courage and cheerfulness will not avail us more than repining.

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## HANDLING BAGGAGE.

A System That Simplifies Matters For the Railroad Men.

Like most other mysteries, that of handling the thousands of pieces of luggage that come to a great railroad station has a simple solution. It seems to the layman that there must be confusion when incoming trains dump hundreds of trunks and hand bags into the baggage rooms for distribution to all quarters of the city. System, which has come to play an important part in all business nowadays, has made baggage handling a rather simple matter for the railroads. It is the use of a key number that does the trick.

Travelers have noticed that their check numbers run into six figures, if they pay attention to the figures on their checks at all. It is the third of these units, counting back from the final number, that is the key to the whole system of distribution. The expressman who handles the baggage for its home distribution hands in to the baggage agent his mass of collected checks, all sorted on that basis, and the baggage handlers hustle the stuff out with very little delay.

Suppose he has only a few checks from an incoming local train. They may read 384741, 384201, 384599, 384735, 384812, 384487, 384622, 384256, 384739, 384747, 384056 and 384123. In each case the first three figures are identical—384. The first variation begins with the fourth, or hundreds, unit. By means of this unit he separates his checks—all the 7's in one bunch, all the 5's in another, and so on.

In the baggage room the trunks and bags are distributed as soon as received in ten apartments, each bearing a unit number, from 0 to 9. That number invariably represents the hundreds unit of the claimant's check. The trunk with a 384543 check would go to the same compartment as one numbered 385543 or 385543 or 985743. The figure 5 is the key figure, with the result that there is never any confusion or trouble in locating the baggage desired. It would be in the compartment numbered 5.

This simple plan solves the mystery as to the prompt location of a piece of hand baggage when a passenger rolls up to the baggage room door in a taxi to get the piece of luggage he has had checked and has to wait but a moment to obtain it. It is a very simple solution of the trouble that a few years ago annoyed all travelers who had to wait for baggage to be transferred from one terminal to another in their own conveyances.—New York Sun.

### One Wish Unfulfilled.

Wife—You promised that if I would marry you my every wish should be gratified. Husband—Well, isn't it? Wife—No; I wish I hadn't married you.—Illustrated Bits

# BASE BALL SUNDAY Aug. 16

ATHLETIC PARK Game Called 2:30 P.M.

The Muldoons of Cincinnati

—VS.—

Washington Athletics.

Admission 25c. Ladies Admitted Free When Accompanied by Paid Ticket

### It Was Lincoln's Knife.

Lincoln was always ready to join in a laugh at his own expense and used to tell the following story with intense enjoyment: "In the days when I used to be on the circuit I was accosted in the cars by a stranger, who said, 'Excuse me, sir, but I have an article in my possession which belongs to you.' 'How is that?' I asked, considerably astonished. The stranger took a jack-knife from his pocket. 'This knife,' said he, 'was placed in my hands some years ago with the injunction that I was to keep it until I found a man uglier than myself. I have carried it from that time to this. Allow me to say, sir, that I think you are fairly entitled to the property.'—'Everyday Life of Abraham Lincoln.'

### A Bungler.

She (anxious to put him at his ease)—What a nice dance, Mr. Smith! Your step exactly suits mine. He (so nervous)—I'm so glad! I know I'm such a wretched dancer.

### Brazil.

Brazil is a Portuguese term derived from brazza, "a live coal," relative to the red dyewood with which the country abounds.

By one good deed we uproot many a useless weed.

### EXCURSIONS.

To Springfield, every other Sunday commencing July 5th, via D. T. & I. R. R. Fare 75c. Special train leaves Washington C. H. at 9:31 a. m. Returning, leaves Springfield at 6:30 p. m. See D. T. & I. agent.

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NEW COMMITTEEMEN  
MEET THIS MORNING

Seventeen members of the newly elected Democratic County Central committee, met this morning at the law office of Post & Reid and elected Edwin Weaver chairman, and S. A. Murray, secretary. Nine men were also named as an executive committee and later the nine so chosen elected J. D. Post chairman and H. C. Ireland secretary.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Harvey C. Riley, 23, farmer, of Williamsport, and Agnes J. Baldwin, 22, teacher, of Madison township.

## SUGAR WEVERS

The wholesale price of sugar has stopped at \$8.15 per hundred weight the same price as quoted Friday.

## Markets

## Close of Markets Today

By Associated Press.

## LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, August 15.—Hogs—Receipts 7000; market lower; light Yorkers \$9.40; heavy Yorkers \$8.55 to \$9.35; pigs \$7.80.

Cattle—Receipts 200; market steady; heaves \$7.25 to \$10.50; Texas steers \$6.40 to \$9.30; stockers & feeders \$5.50 to \$8.10; cows and heifers \$3.75 to \$9.30; calves \$8.50 to \$11.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 2000; market steady; sheep, natives \$5.30 to \$6.15; lambs, natives \$6.60 to \$9.65.

Pittsburg, August 15.—Hogs—Receipts 4500; market low; other grades \$9.65.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1000; market steady; top sheep \$6.25; top lambs \$8.60.

Calves—Receipts 100; lower; top \$11.50.

## GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, August 15.—Wheat—Sept \$8.34; Dec. 94 1/2; May \$1.01 1/2.

Corn—Sept. 76 1/2; Dec. 67 1/2.

Oats—Sept. 41; Dec. 44 1/2.

Pork—Sept. \$22.

Lard—Sept. \$9.52; Oct. \$9.67.

## THE LOCAL MARKET.

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Hay No. 1, timothy ..... \$18.00  
Hay No. 2, timothy ..... \$16.50  
Hay No. 1 clover ..... \$18.00  
Hay No. 1, mixed ..... \$17.00  
Straw, dry per ton ..... \$4.25  
Staw, damp, per ton ..... \$4.00

## Prices Paid for Produce.

Chickens, young per lb ..... 18c  
Chickens, old per lb ..... 12c  
Eggs, per dozen ..... 20c  
Butter ..... 20c  
New Potatoes, setting price ..... \$1.20  
Lard, per pound ..... 11c

## Close of Markets Yesterday

(By American Press.)

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Pittsburg, August 15.—Hogs—Receipts, 4500; market low; other grades \$9.65.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1000; market steady; top sheep \$6.25; top lambs \$8.60.

Calves—Receipts, 100; lower; top \$11.50.

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## Veteran Fighting Men of Serbia

The Serbian army is largely composed of veterans who know what war is. They have recently been through two wars, one against Turkey and another against Bulgaria. Army experts consider them to be excellent fighters.

## BULLETINS

By Associated Press.

London, Aug. 15.—A dispatch from Brussels to the Exchange Telegraph Company says the death of General Von Emmich, the German commander at Liege, is confirmed. He is to be succeeded by General Von Derrwitz.

Alexandria, Egypt—via London, Aug. 15.—The big new Austrian Lloyd liner, Marienbad, was captured today by a British warship near here, while on the voyage from Bombay to Trieste. She was brought into port.

Rome, via London, August 15.—The American Ambassador Thos. Nelson Page announced that the American government is sending to Europe transports capable of taking home 8,000 Americans. There are 6,000 in Italy and probably 11,000 in Switzerland.

Vancouver, B. C., August 15.—The British sloop of war, Algerine, which had an exciting trip on the California coast, dodging the German cruiser Leipzig, is now safe in Esquimalt harbor.

London, August 15.—There are indications of an international movement of the German troops to envelop the extreme left of the allied forces in Belgium according to a statement issued by the official press bureau here this afternoon.

Brussels, August 15.—The Belgian minister of war today officially denied the rumor that the Germans had occupied the fortified town of Diest to the northeast of Louvain.

FEDERALS QUIT  
CAPITAL CITY

By Associated Press.

Mexico City, August 15.—When General Jose R. Velasco, the Federal commander, leaves Mexico City this afternoon with his staff, the evacuation of the Federals, which has been

## GENERAL JOHN FRENCH

English Commander Joins Forces of the French General Joffre.



going on for several days, will be complete.

Mexico City today is awaiting the coming of the Constitutionalists under General Obregon. The last suburbs of the capital already are occupied by the invaders. The program of occupation calls for the assumption of the Presidency by General Carranza immediately after he enters the city.

NATION FACING  
MEAT FAMINE

Economic experts of the Federal government are giving the high cost of living problem thoughtful consideration and are investigating the high prices of meat. The Department of Agriculture has just completed a census of the meat-producing animals of the United States and finds that there has been a decrease of 4,183,000 head and an increase of \$176,530,000 in value during the past year. On January 1, 1914, the herd numbered 144,507,000, compared with 148,690,000 head a year ago.

The bulk of the nation's decreased meat supply is in the swine herd. Compared with last year the number of hogs in the United States has diminished 2,185,000 head; cattle 175,000 head and sheep 1,763,000 head. The major portion of the increased values is credited to the beef animals. The value of all cattle, excluding milk cows, when compared with last year, shows an increase of \$166,688,000; swine have gained \$9,842,000 in value, while sheep have depreciated \$1,476,000.

MONSTER FREIGHT  
ENGINE OFF RAILS

One of the big freight engines on the B. & O. railroad left the rails while entering the D. T. & I. transfer on Paint street Saturday morning, and it required more than one hour before the engine could leave the transfer.

Owing to the sharp curve in the track, and the length of the big engines, it is not an infrequent occurrence for the engines to leave the track while entering or leaving the transfer.

VOGEL'S MINSTRELS  
PLEASE AUDIENCE

Vogel's minstrels played to a full house at the Empire theater Friday night.

They had a bunch of good singers and put on a clean, clever show, with which the large audience was thoroughly pleased.

These minstrels are always popular, but this year's show was much better than that of last year.

## IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Mrs. Henry Rader, of Paint township, who underwent a serious operation Thursday, is still very low, and is regaining strength slowly.

Physicians extend hope for her ultimate recovery.

## REDUCES RECORD

McKinney A. C., owned by C. E. Mark, was a winner at the Leesburg fair Friday, reducing his trotting record to 2:24 1/4.

## WESLEY CHAPEL MITE SOCIETY.

Please notice the change. The meeting will be postponed next week until Wednesday, August 26th.

Want ads are sure winners.

PRECIOUS FEW  
MADE ESCAPE

By Associated Press.

Brussels—via Paris, Aug. 15.—According to the latest advices in the Belgian capital barely 500 German soldiers escaped unhurt out of the four or five thousand engaged in the battle of Haelen. Many of the field guns of the German artillery were lost in the swamps.

The soldiers who remained of the German attacking column retired to Tongres. A special train has been sent out from Brussels to collect the wounded in the battle field. Among them are reported to be two German princes.

A Joke of Mark Twain's.

The theatrical godfather of William Gillette was Mark Twain, who was a fellow townsman and a friend of his father. Mark Twain in referring to the matter said that when he used his influence to get young Gillette on the stage he thought he was playing a great joke on the management, for he did not think Gillette had the slightest aptitude for acting. But it turned out to be no joke after all. "I don't know," said Mark Twain, "which I like better—having Gillette make a tremendous success or seeing one of my jokes go wrong."

GENERAL PUTNIK, WAR  
MINISTER OF SERBIA,  
DIRECTS ARMY'S MOVES.

One of the chief factors in directing the Serbian army in the war with Austria is General Putnik, minister of war of Serbia. He is one of the leading military authorities of that country, and he is serving in person in the field.



GENERAL PUTNIK.

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## FRANCE IN SOUTH AMERICA.

Its Influence in the Melting Pot of the Latin Races.

South America is the melting pot of the Latin races, and the French influence now seems to predominate over that of Spain. Italy is well represented, especially in strong Argentina. Brazil seems to be the most polyglot of them all, for here the native Portuguese is mingled not only with the Spanish and French and English, but a great deal of German. In the south of Brazil 90 per cent of the people speak German, and Portuguese is not always enforced as the language even of the public schools.

The large German colonies here do not affiliate with these people as they do with the Anglo-Saxon brothers of the north. They live to themselves, they retain their own language and customs. In Chile, where there are many English, too, the Germans direct the education of the country. Buenos Aires is close to this Germanic group in southern Brazil and feels its influence, though Argentina seems the most untied and progressive of the republics in point of literary expression and culture.

French influence also is felt in Brazil. Rio de Janeiro itself was founded as a refuge for French Huguenots, though they were afterward driven back. In Paris today one hears that a youth is to emigrate to America, but probably it is to Rio that he is going.

There are many French immigrants and French is required in most of the schools and is next to the native tongue in importance in northern Brazil. Formerly in Brazil Spanish or German always came next to French, but it is said that some of the states now require English as the third language and that Brazilians are proud of their English.—Christian Science Monitor.

## Suspicious.

Ernest Viceroy, who has published a record of his experiences during the Franco-Prussian war, tells a story to illustrate the popular mania for discovering "treason" that prevailed in Paris.

He says that one day a soldier remarked to a comrade:

"I am sure that the captain is a traitor."

"How's that?" was the rejoinder.

"Well," said the suspicious soldier, "have you not noticed that every time he orders us to march forward we invariably encounter the enemy?"

## Executions in Europe.

Methods of putting criminals to death vary. In Europe the guillotine is the mode of execution most generally employed. Austria, Holland and Portugal are the only other countries besides Great Britain where criminals are hanged. In Brandenburg they are shot. In Brunswick they are beheaded, and in Spain they are garroted. London Telegram.